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Art Exhibits Provide Beauty Aplenty

By Marilou Newell

If you are still finding it difficult to go to art museums, look no further than the Marion Council on Aging and the Marion Art Center to get your visual art needs satiated.

On September 9, two painting groups came together in a joint exhibit now on display at the Marion Council on Aging. Coordinating the exhibit is Mary Ross, longtime art aficionado, art exhibit promoter, and visual artist in her own right. Ross, with great success, has brought together the talents of the Rochester COA Monday Morning Art Group and the Canal Side Artists. Both groups are filled with painters from the Tri-Town area and beyond, painters whose works speak to their passion for the art form and their ability to execute glorious visual refreshment.

While the Monday Morning group doesn't have an instructor, Helen Johnson was the de facto organizer on this night. She said the intent of the group is to "support one another and give friendly critiquing," while exploring the richness that painting brings to their lives. Johnson is herself a masterful painter with floral renditions both lush and gentle.

The Rochester group has been going strong for about 10 years with artists working in a variety of mediums.

Janet Smith-Flaherty of Rochester has been with Canal Side Artists for a number of years. Her watercolors are delicate pieces evoking stained-glass-like visuals. She

On the Cover: *Tangi Thomas of Tri-Town Against Racism takes part in the September 10 ceremonial ribbon cutting for the newest Little Diverse Library at Ned's Point park in Mattapoisett. Members and supporters of the local anti-racism organization celebrated the realization of the vision of 2020 Keel Award winner Kelsey Robertson, who at age 10 sought to bring books to libraries that reflect the diversity of community children. Little Diverse Libraries are planned for each of the Tri-Town communities. The contents of the Little Diverse Library in Mattapoisett were donated by the town. The final Little Diverse Library will be located in Rochester near Plumb Library sometime this fall, Tri-Town Against Racism co-founder Alison Noyce said. The Little Diverse Library in Marion is located at Old Landing on Front Street. Photo by Marilou Newell*

has recently started to use yupo paper, a synthetic product made from water-resistant polymers. Smith-Flaherty said that, given watercolors, her preferred medium, do not get absorbed by the "paper" but in fact dry on the surface, one will either paint with the yupo lying flat, or move it to create deeper textures. On her pieces of yupo, Smith-Flaherty created a color pallet over which she drew floral representations resulting in finished works of unique stained-glass appearance.

Kate Furler, instructor to the Canal Side Artists, said that in the past the group had submitted paintings to the Secretary of State Office for a juried events for seniors who paint. "Individuals received awards," she stated. Recently, global conditions put a stop to those events, but she hopes that one day her group will once again participate at the state level. Of the painting group, Furler said, "We welcome everyone."

Jane Egan, formerly of Mattapoisett, another member of the Canal Side Artists, had several pastel works on exhibit, most notably a tiger and a swan. Pastels with their rich textures and deep saturated colors worked wonderfully here to give the animals pelts and feathers

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On September 10, it was the Marion Art Center's turn to fling open its gallery doors and let all comers feast their eyes on works by Marion residents Sarah Brown and Judy Carver in a two-person show extraordinaire.

The petite galleries of the MAC were splashing over with natural scenes from ocean edge to farm pastures in an exquisite display of gifted talent, technique, and, of course, use of color.

Brown, who is a well-known instructor as well as painter, said of this exhibit of her work, "Water is my inspiration." And that is evident as one passes by canvases covered in pastels that bring moving water to the edge of spilling over and light filtering through setting suns and cloud cover.

Carver's pieces are watercolors that demonstrate her masterful grasp of the medium, especially when painting fine architectural details she observed in her winter residence in the southwest.

Both exhibits are open now through early October.

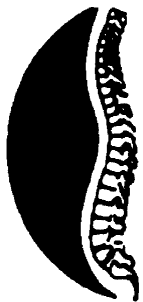
Cranberry Country

University of Massachusetts – Cranberry Station

By Marilou Newell

The Sippican Lands Trust recently hosted a presentation given by Dr. Hilary Sandler, who shared the 21st century research efforts at the University of Massachusetts Cranberry Station in East Wareham.

Sandler has been working in the field of agricultural research, primarily focused on all things cranberry for over 30 years. She said the station has been in existence for 100 years, focused on helping growers identify best practices and sustain good land stewardship. Now part of the university's College of Natural Sciences, the station covers 11 acres near Spectacle Pond. "You'll always find cranberries near bodies of water," said Sandler, who has been exploring with other researchers,



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students, and growers all the moving parts of an industry so iconic to the region.

Sharing some of the history of the cranberry industry, Sandler said that bogs in Massachusetts were created as glaciers moved across the landscape, sculpting out depressions that would later become freshwater kettle ponds. She said that today's research focuses on hydrology use, plant nutrition, weed sciences, fruit diseases, and microbial studies with bogs that still bear the scars of glacial movement in their irregular borders.

Early in her presentation, Sandler touched on what is currently in the news – solar-array planning for agricultural lands, primarily in and around existing cranberry bogs. She said that the university has been studying the impact and viability of solar panels installed across irrigation ditches in active bogs, as well as panels installed on previously disturbed areas around bogs, a cultivation method known as “dual use,” in which solar panels are spaced to allow some light to filter through to plants being grown beneath the array.

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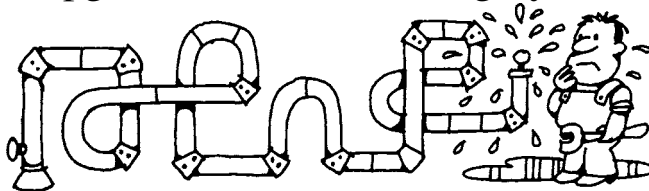
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considered some 10 years ago by solar developers. Today, however, it seems to be gaining traction. Recently this agricultural concept was proposed for bogs and land in Rochester, and another is actively underway in Carver. Sandler said that this type of partnership allows the landowners to maintain their agricultural status while benefiting financially from the solar companies' use of the land. "It can be a revenue stream for the growers," she said.

Of the bogs themselves, Sandler said today's crops are almost all hybrid varieties that have been developed over decades to produce larger high-yield harvests. She called these varieties "super producers" with 40-percent more yield. This, however, has been a double-edged sword. Sandler noted that in the 1990s there was a glut of cranberries causing prices to plummet. Growers pursued new markets around the globe, new places to introduce a fruit for the first time. Some new export locations were found in the E.U., Australia, and Mexico, she stated. China is now beginning to cultivate its own berries, she said.

Our local economy does depend in part on the cranberry industry, Sandler told the participants. For one thing, cranberries are Massachusetts' largest fruit crop, coming from approximately 12,700 acres. "It is a micro-crop compared to other fruit crops across the country," she pointed out. But in this state, it employs 6,000 people, "directly and indirectly," she said. Sandler said that a grower needs at least 80 acres of bogs to make a living.

And there is yet another challenge facing growers, Sandler shared; growers are primarily all senior citizens. "The average age of a grower is over 65 now." Other challenges she noted were climate change, high production costs, and commercial-residential development of available open spaces. All are areas of concern for an industry so heavily integrated in our local culture.

To learn more about the UMass cranberry program, visit umass.edu/cranberry or sippicanlandtrust.org to view the video presentation.

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Cottages Development to Appear on Warrant

Marion Select Board

By Mick Colageo

Multi-family developments are progressing in Marion, where the Select Board heard the case of Matt Zucker's Route 6 Cottages development during its September 8 meeting.

Zucker's re-zoning request from Residence D (which he can build by-right) to Residence E, he asserts, will allow him to build the multi-family development that he believes the townspeople need and want. To prove his intentions, Zucker paid \$50,000 to fund a Weston & Samson study and agreed to a deed restriction capping the number of units at 48.

"It's a huge investment for us in the town.... We want to work as a team on this," said Zucker.

The Select Board's consensus is to put Zucker's request onto the warrant for the October 19 Special Town Meeting, and its members will make that recommendation official when they vote to close the warrant.

Zucker explained his intent is for an over-55 village with market amenities like walking trails. His project began its vetting process with the Marion Planning Board in the spring and remains in process. "We think we put together a ... vastly sup plan. There are not many 30-acre sites left that are on the waterfront."

Based on the constructions of 12 units at a time, Zucker anticipates a three-year buildup.

Residence E multi-family housing projects require the developer's choice of 10-percent subsidized housing or the option to make a cash donation to the Marion Affordable Housing Trust.

"We'll comply with the bylaw ... [We] haven't made that final call yet," said Zucker.

Peter Turowski and Dave Davignon have redesigned the units, and Zucker cited Master Plan and housing choices that measure between 2,000 and 2,500 square feet in floor space. Zucker said the revised plan gives more variety to the units and would be situated so that residents can almost see between adjacent houses.

"We're trying to create a sense of community," he said, acknowledging that establishing a connection to



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In answer to Select Board Chairman Norm Hills' observation that the dead-end roadway will require a turnaround for a fire engine, Zucker said the designers are "already looking at options." Hills also noted his expectation that a lot of glass on the exterior of the units will drive up heating costs.

Select Board member Randy Parker, in his first meeting back since a health-related absence, asked Zucker about the existing house near the powerline, and Zucker said it may have to come down.

Referencing "great interest this summer with effects from climate change," Planning Board member Eileen Marum encouraged Zucker to consider the



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Marum also asked about plans to ease traffic's exit onto Route 6; Zucker said his group is studying the matter and would have full report within two weeks.

As Town Administrator Jay McGrail explained, the Select Board decides if the re-zoning should be on the warrant for the Special Town Meeting. If so, there will be an opportunity for a Planning Board to hold a public hearing to address the zoning matter. That hearing would not vet the project itself, a process that Zucker would take up with the Planning Board by applying for a special permit.

McGrail asked Zucker and his attorneys to attend the Special Town Meeting to answer any questions from the public. Masks will be required at Town Meeting; there will be no Zoom option.

In his Town Administrator's Report, McGrail told the Select Board that the first trucks had begun hauling away the remaining sludge from the wastewater treatment plant lagoon and would be at it for at least two weeks with three truckloads per day last week and six per day this week. Methuen Construction will then oversee final grading with the goal of mid to late October for the liner installation, a final step that must be finished before any winter weather.

In other encouraging news, McGrail reported that the Seaport Economic Council was to announce on September 9 a \$300,000 award to move forward the new marine center at Island Wharf. Marion representatives were to present the project before Lieutenant Governor Karyn Polito and Representative William Straus.

The award puts the town in a position to apply for the next round of construction funding in six to eight months.

The Select Board voted to accept the Town Administrator's FY22 goals; McGrail will post them at marionma.gov.

A Water/Sewer Commissioners meeting will be held on Thursday, September 30, at 4:00 pm. Representatives from Weston & Sampson will attend.

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Manager Shawn Cormier on ADA-accessible walkways and other potential grant-funded projects for Silvershell Beach. In the wake of Town Planner Gil Hilario's departure, McGrail is now functioning as Marion's grant writer. Dan Dowd, a resident who is blind, is working with Cormier and McGrail on planning.

In filling Hilario's vacancy with Doug Guey-Lee, Marion has created a new position. Rather than a planner/grant writer, Guey-Lee will be a planner/conservation agent. He also has experience with grant writing. McGrail noted that Marion had been one of, if not the last, of the municipalities in Massachusetts without a conservation agent. Guey-Lee starts on October 4.

McGrail has discussed a per-diem consultant on

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On Monday, September 20, annual hydrant flushing will begin. The town is seeking snowplow and sanding contractors. The deadline to apply is October 15.

Tangi Thomas and Pamela Cook were appointed to the Fireworks Committee for one-year terms. Both have children and experience in fundraising. Cook is a fundraising professional. The committee now has three total members.

Jenny Babcock, co-chair of the Plymouth County Suicide Prevention Coalition, appeared in accordance with the county's request that all Plymouth County towns declare September 10 Suicide Prevention Day. "We just want to end the stigma of suicide and mental illness," said Babcock, who noted that Marion's will be the ninth proclamation this month. Any lost survivors of suicides were asked to light a candle to display it at 8:00 pm in their window to recognize September 10 as World Suicide Prevention Day.

In accordance with the allowances per 2020 census figures, Town Clerk Lissa Magauran requested that the Select Board allow Marion to remain a single-precinct election town. According to the 2020 census, Marion's population is 5,347. The threshold necessitating the creation of a second voting precinct is 6,200. Magauran estimates 1,000-1,500 for average voter turnout in Marion.

The town constable was to post the October 19 Spring Town Meeting at five locations, including Taber Library, the Police Station, the Cushing Community Center, and the Town House.

The DPW requested to declare a large quantity of failed water meters as surplus property so the town can sell them for their scrap-metal value. McGrail said the approval would allow the town to dispense of the meters without taking on the chore of disassembling them.

Parker said the meters can be sold as No. 1 brass and that "a good purchaser will give us a dumpster to fill."

McGrail also reported that the town dispensed of several vehicles in the first week of September.

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In a bookkeeping measure, the Select Board gave its final approval of an alcohol license to Brew Fish restaurant.

The board voted to accept a \$100 donation from Janine Lake to the Marion Fire and EMS.

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The next meeting of the Marion Select Board is scheduled for Tuesday, September 21, at 6:00 pm.

Village Street Project May Begin by Fall 2022

Mattapoisett Select Board

By Marilou Newell

The September 14 meeting of the Mattapoisett Select Board was a long day's journey into night with a number of agenda items being handled. None, however, will be more visible than the planned reconstruction of Main, Water, and Beacon Streets, as well as Old Marion Road.

Coming before the board were Eversource planners Ryan Earle and Tom Costa to discuss the utility's proposal of gas line replacements from Acushnet Road to Fairhaven Road, then jumping across Route 6 to continue on down the scenic village roadway along the waterfront, ending at the intersection of Old Marion Road and Route 6.

Costa said the plan would take approximately four years to complete with at least three phases timed to take place during the off-season in an effort to minimize disruption to the boating community.

"We want to get in front of your larger road project," he said, referring to the all-inclusive roadway improvement project the town has been planning for a number of years and which is currently awaiting 2025 Transportation Infrastructure Project funding.

Discussions centered around the need for tight coordination with VHB, the town's consulting engineers for the roadway project. Costa noted that service upgrades to individual customers would also take place, prompting Highway Surveyor Garrett Bauer to say sidewalks would need to be replaced. Select Board Member Jodi Bauer also said care of existing trees and associated root systems is important. Select Board Chairman Jordan Collyer said VHB has already surveyed and inventoried town trees along the route and directed Costa to contact them for the details.

There was further discussion on timing with Costa saying Eversource's schedule is flexible, and that work could begin as soon as this fall if weather conditions are favorable, which could mean pushing the start date out to April 2022.

Housing issues were the topic of a request from resident Barbara White of 99 County Road, who came before the board requesting a permit to use two recreational campers as living accommodations for her family of three adults and two children. She explained that an existing single-family home on the property is in severe disrepair and that for economic reasons, the family needs to stay on the site while the home is under construction.



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Concerns voiced by Director of Inspectional Services Andy Bobola, Collyer, Bauer, and Select Board member Tyler Macallister centered around safety issues. Current bylaws allow for the permitting of temporary mobile housing units placed on-site if the residence has been destroyed by fire or natural disasters. The issue of long-term heating elements in a camper, along with cooking, presented a real hazard to the life safety of the family, they said.

"I understand your situation, but I need assurances we aren't taking on something that's a liability. I want to help from a humanitarian viewpoint, but..." said Collyer, pointing to the liability the town would be accepting if the campers were permitted more than two weeks.

White was told, if she could rent a mobile home designed for long-term residential use while the home is being repaired, that would be acceptable. She received a two-week permit and was asked to return to the next Select Board meeting to see where things stand at that time. In the meantime, Town Counsel would be contacted, Collyer said, to help clarify the town's position.

Conservation Commission Chairman Mike King and member David Lawrence came before the board seeking ratification of a letter of understanding with Brandon Faneuf of Ecosystem Solutions, Inc. for his work as a 53G conservation consulting agent. King said that for certain projects needing expert review, the applicants would pay for Faneuf's work, meaning the town would bear no cost.

Macallister said, "I like the concept." He said applicants would benefit from Faneuf's services and that delays created by not having an agent on staff "cost the applicants time and money."

The board elected to move forward with the plan and review after it after 90 days. Collyer added that a survey could be sent out asking residents how the process worked for them.

Harbormaster Jamie McIntosh and Marine Advisory Board Chairman Carlos DeSousa met with the board to discuss and receive approval for waterway fee increases. McIntosh said that to keep the department

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DeSousa said that, with the increase, the enterprise fund could see as much as \$350,000 annually. Collyer said it is important to keep the enterprise fund from "going in the red." A public hearing will be held by the board on this matter at a date to be determined.

Community Gardens organizers Bill O'Keefe and Barbara Vaninwegen came before the board requesting a possible community garden on the grounds of the town-owned former Holy Ghost property off Park Street. Collyer countered that maybe a better location would be the former Gomes property now owned by the town and located adjacent to the Police Station on Hubbard's Way.

The board agreed it is a viable idea, but issues of liability were raised. Collyer asked that the group should research the type of insurance needed and that the town administrator would check in with town counsel to ascertain what the town should require of the gardening group. Collyer also said that, given it was public property, other groups would have to be given the opportunity to use the site through a Request for Proposal process.

The Mattapoisett Land Trust, represented by member Gary Johnson, brought a request to the board for its signatures on a grant application in the amount of \$45,000 for the purpose of acquiring a parcel of land along Mattapoisett Neck Road. He said the conservation



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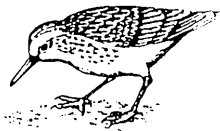
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restriction would be held by the town and the Buzzards Bay Coalition. The board agreed.

Members of the Mattapoisett Historical Commission asked for and received permission to open a new site in Shipyard Park for memorial bricks. Work may begin before the winter season.

The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Select Board is scheduled for Tuesday, September 28, at 6:30 pm.

Dual-Use Solar Project Continued

Rochester Planning Board

By Mick Colageo

A proposal for a two-phase construction of a canal canopy solar array and a dual-use energy array that will be used for renewable energy and agricultural purposes was heard by the Rochester Planning Board on September 14 without conclusion.

The new public hearing was opened solely to continue the application to the board's next meeting on September 28, but that action paved the way for an informal discussion of the application filed by Hingham-based Renewable Energy Partners, LLC for Special Permits for a solar array and groundwater protection for property located at 109 Neck Road.

As explained by Planning Board Chairman Arnie Johnson, the board did not hold an informal meeting to discuss the project and, on the advice of Town Counsel, opened the hearing solely to continue the meeting to the Planning Board's next meeting on September 28. By then, the board's engineer will have examined the project.

In the wake of that action, Sarah Stearns of Beals & Thomas gave an overview of the project to acquaint the board and interested citizens. There is no sitework in connection to the solar-canopy project, according to Stearns.

The setback of the proposed, 3.2-acre project from Neck Road is approximately 1,700 feet. The panels when tilted in the morning toward the sun will be 12 feet high on one end and 8 feet high on the opposite end. At noon, the panels will be horizontal at 10 feet off the ground. Spacing at 23 feet will support a strategic use of light for agricultural purposes.



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Stearns told the board that the project has begun the vetting process with the Conservation Commission.

Johnson said the project will need a 16-foot-wide road inside the fence for fire protection. He also said that the Planning Board reserves the right in its decision that, should the screening not be considered adequate, then the applicant will be required to address the matter. "Because this is out in the middle of nowhere, the screening has to be done first," said Johnson.

It was pointed out to Stearns that, since the light poles in the background of the project are visible from Snipatuit Pond, so will the solar array be visible. The applicant suggested producing images of the view from abutting properties across Snipatuit Pond.

Johnson said the board also must decide on whether to approve the vegetation plan for underneath the solar array. He referenced a failed experiment off Route 58 in Carver where solar panels are atop a bog no longer capable of cranberry harvesting. Johnson said that discussion would be held in earnest when the board next convenes on September 28.

During Stearns' presentation, several comments came in via the computer chat function, but Johnson said the board cannot address the comments because the public hearing had already been continued to pave the way for the informal discussion.

Anticipating a site visit in advance of the board's September 28 meeting, Johnson requested a general

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The review of the draft decision for the Longbow Lane project in which Planning Board member Ben Bailey proposes a definitive subdivision at 0 Gerrish Road was not rendered. Citing the discussions that occurred during the public hearings of the case, Johnson thought it prudent to wait in case there are any other questions on it.

Bailey, who was represented by Bob Rogers of G.A.F. Engineering, once again recused himself from participation as a board member. Regarding the change in lot numbers, Johnson said, "There was no misinterpretation on this board's part. ... We were not notified."

A public hearing continued from July 27 in which Cushman Solar, LLC filed applications for Special Permits for a 3.9-megawatt (large-scale) solar array and groundwater protection for property located at 0 Cushman Road was continued at the applicant's request to September 28.

An Approval Not Required (ANR) filed by Decas Cranberry for a single-lot subdivision at 0 Mary's Pond Road was approved by the board.

A review of the application filed by Snipatuit Road Solar, LLC was met by a swift vote to approve the final decision.

The last item discussed was the Plumb Corner development and its infrastructural problems. Conservation Commission Chairman Chris Gerrior, in

attendance, asked Johnson about a potential enforcement order. Johnson said the project owners know the town's deadlines and are running out of time.

Johnson took a moment to welcome Gerrior's interest and said he looks forward to working with him so as to maximize the commission's input and vice versa. Earlier in the meeting, new Town Planner Nancy Durfee was welcomed by Johnson, who told the board that he and Durfee plan to visit various sites of open cases to give the new planner an orientation.

The next meeting of the Rochester Planning Board is scheduled for Tuesday, September 28, at 7:00 pm in hybrid format. The meeting is held at the Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School library and also accessible via Zoom.

Briggs Makes Case to Changing AHT

Marion Affordable Housing Trust

By Mick Colageo

The Marion Affordable Housing Trust has seen recent turnover in membership, and longtime resident and developer Sherman Briggs took the opportunity to address the trust's newer faces during the September 14 public meeting.

Citing his long-standing opposition to the town's inclusionary-zoning bylaw that he says has never been utilized, Briggs said it has taken him 10 years to get through the vetting process.

"I would hope the Housing Trust would start to get more active in the bylaws and what we go through and the time it takes," he said. "We need to streamline the bylaws. Once we get through that, we can create more of these projects that aren't subsidized and ones that meet the seniors of Marion's needs."

When Briggs began seeking approval for his 28-unit, multi-family residential project at Spring and Mill Streets, he said the bylaw was asking him to choose between building an affordable housing complex and paying a \$639,000 fee to mitigate the choice not to. That fee is now \$150,000, a check Briggs is much happier to write if he can have a say on what happens to the money.

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housing projects, he says, is counterproductive for the town for two major reasons: 1. Marion is at 11.5 percent, a favorable number in affordable housing when taking into consideration existing and planned projects; 2. Tax revenue is the biggie for Briggs, who asserts that, in an affordable-housing scenario, a 42-unit development would generate only \$28,000 per year. His proposed, 28-unit, market-rate development could generate 10 times the tax revenue. He insists that is his prime motivation as a longtime resident.

Briggs is concerned that the current set of requirements will continue to leverage developments toward 40B classification (affordable housing) that do not generate enough tax revenue and end up failing


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As for the \$150,000 fee due the Affordable Housing Trust on a project like the one he is proposing, Briggs said, "That money should be used to help seniors rather than be put into a fund that will take years to get where this needs to go." He believes the funds would be best spent to help more seniors stay in their houses with a series of smaller projects such as "a new roof on a house, a septic system, maybe a paint job."

Briggs has plenty more to say, drawing questions from AHT members seeking clarification on town bylaws and procedures.

He said he is concerned about the potential senior housing development on the location where Lockheed Martin had been until last year. "If that ever fell off the tax rolls, we'd be in more dire straits as far as tax revenue. That's more my view as a taxpayer than my project."

Briggs is hoping his proposed, 28-unit development off Spring and Mill streets will sell for \$650,000 and \$700,000 per unit.

"Five years ago, if this was built, the town would have a million dollars in its coffer. ... It's been one hell of a battle, I won't deny that," he said.

Terri Santos, the new chair of the AHT, called Briggs' preferred scenario "a win-win for the trust because we will also get \$150,000 to go to programs."

Santos said funding the programs that the AHT looks at doing is complicated because they cannot use

CPC money due to deed restrictions, etcetera.

"There's nothing better than to keep someone who lives in Marion their whole life in their home," said Briggs. "If I can support and earmark the money that I have to pay to go in a direction, that's what I believe."

Santos said the Planning Board's Codification Committee is putting forth a bylaw change regarding conservation subdivision.

In other matters, Santos and fellow AHT members Norm Hills and Nancy McFadden walked the Lockheed Martin site three weeks ago. Santos said she will keep the AHT informed. "A lot of possibilities, I personally think," said McFadden.

The next meeting of the Marion Affordable Housing Trust is scheduled for Tuesday, October 12, at 6:00 pm.

Landscaper Expands Office; ZBA Caps Permit Potential

Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals

By Mick Colageo

Despite a vetting process lasting several months, applicant Robert Pereira told the September 9 meeting of the Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals that he considers his case "cut and dried."

The ZBA, acting with just four members present, made sure to ask every question before attaching carefully crafted conditions to the amendment of a Special Permit sought by Pereira for property located at 92 Pine Street.

ILC Development, LLC, applied for the amendment to Special Permit Appeal No. 995 issued on April 28 under Chapter 20.40, Section F.6 of the Rochester Zoning By-Laws for the conversion of a repair bay to offices and an addition to an existing repair bay.

Pereira's plan is to extend the front bay by roughly 8 feet by 28 feet, which will expand the area from 3,928 square feet to a proposed 4,808. The 1.26-acre lot is zoned as agricultural/residential.

Citing company growth and the challenges presented by COVID-19, Pereira said his goal is to expand office space to achieve a safe environment. He said he is not looking to change his number of employees or any

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Pereira, the 10-year owner of Infinity Landscape Construction and Automatic Pool Covers, Inc. (a division of Infinity Landscape), told the ZBA that the proposed use of the property has not changed. ILC is the applicant's real estate holding company.

Pereira told the ZBA he had previously rented out a portion of the building to a motor repair business.

At the time Pereira originally acquired the special permit, the building had served as an autobody shop, an auto dealership, and repair business. Those activities have ceased at the site and will not be brought back by the applicant.

While Pereira did not seek to remove those opportunities from the special permit, he said it would not be a problem to waive those aspects of the permit. Asked about those activities, Pereira explained that the prior permitted activities were listed in the interest of full disclosure. "I didn't want to hide anything," he said, noting that the only value in those activities being permitted is in raising the potential resale value of the property.

In reviewing the Special Permit, ZBA member Davis Sullivan said "it's a big ask" to approve an amendment that continues to allow all of the business activities listed.

ZBA Chairman David Arancio echoed Sullivan's sentiments in the more general sense that the lot is technically too small for the landscape construction



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and pool construction activities that Pereira intends to continue.

Having grown up at the site, Pereira summarized all the businesses there since 1973. The house on the lot is a rental property, he clarified.

With only four members on hand, Arancio informed the applicant that all four would need to vote in the affirmative for the amendment to the Special Permit to pass. Asked if he wished to move forward or to continue the case, Pereira told the board he wanted resolution.

"We're not asking for any type of variance. The special permit that we already have, in effect for the past 10 years, we're not looking to alter in any way, shape or form," he said.

Arancio interjected that the conditions of the permit are subject to the amendments based on the public hearing.

"I'm willing to go forward, and I can always appeal it if necessary," said Pereira. "Let's do it in Land Court if we have to."

Arancio wanted it on the record that Pereira had been notified of his options.

An abutters list was read at the opening of the hearing, but only one member of the public spoke before the hearing was closed and only to clarify that no further expansion will take place on the property.

Once it was known that Pereira agreed to no further expansion of the building, the ZBA focused on

closing on the public hearing and establishing a set of conditions to grant the amendment allowing for the expansion.

The auto body, auto repair, and auto sales activities previously permitted were struck from the Special Permit.

Stipulations also include proper restoration of areas disturbed by the building expansion and that Dark Sky Lighting be used outside the building. Hours of operation will be limited to 7:00 am to 7:00 pm on Monday-Friday and 8:00 am to 6:00 pm on Saturday; no hours of operation will be allowed on Sunday, and no deliveries will be allowed on any day before 8:00 am or after 8:00 pm.

Furthermore, the permit as amended will allow no more than eight employees at any time.

The next meeting of the Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals is scheduled to be held on Thursday, September 23, at 7:00 pm.

Abutters Granted More Time

Mattapoisett Conservation Commission

By Marilou Newell

It's not the norm for abutters to request two-week continuances for applications before the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission, but that is precisely what occurred on September 13 when the Notice of Intent continuance for 7 Nashawena Road was reopened.



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Representing client Alexander Bauer was N. Douglas Schneider of Schneider, Davignon, & Leone Inc., who said that a new plan of record had been submitted 10 days earlier and included all the requested changes asked for by the commissioners and abutters. For at least a year, abutters had been watchful that existing drainage problems in the area were not exacerbated by the reconstruction of a single-family home.

Schneider pointed to a reduction in the overall size of the footprint, including pervious areas and a roof-runoff catchment systems to redirect storm water into underground chambers for recharging. He said that he has visited the site since a recent record rainfall event took place and found only a small area where ponding

remained, a location for historically slow recharging of storm water into the ground.

Schneider also said that the requested testing of soils for recharging and groundwater levels has taken place as well. He conceded that, even given the summer's dry conditions of subsoils and the construction of an underground drainage system, there might still be wet season occasions when drainage would be a problem.

Chairman Mike King said that everyone was going to have to get used to record rain events, but that the new plan has covered everything requested. The commissioners were ready to render their decision, but not before abutters were recognized for their comments.

David Behenne, 31 Antassawamock Road, said that perc testing had been requested but not performed. King said that only the Board of Health requires perc testing for septic systems, but that soil testing has been done as requested. "The applicant has met all [the requirements of the] Wetlands Protection Act; you'll have 10 days to review our decision or appeal it."

Behenne asked several times when abutters were notified that new plans were available to review, then asked for a two-week continuation in order to review the updated plans with his engineer, Robert Field.

King pushed back from that, again saying the applicant is in compliance. "He's addressed everything you were worried about." Behenna shot back, "That is up to the abutters!" King said that if abutters are "aggrieved"

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of the commission's decision, they can appeal it.

Speaking next was William Straus, 8 Nashawena. Straus said several times that he understood the position of the commissioners, the hard job they had based on his own previous appointment to the commission, but believed an appeal was in no one's best interest.

"Alex Baur is a decent guy; he would not take the same position as his engineer," said Straus, who believed he had heard Schneider say he wanted the application done on this night. However, it was subsequently made clear that that comment was spoken by commissioner Chapman Dickerson, a sentiment echoed by David Lawrence. Straus urged the commission to grant a two-week continuance for the sake of giving abutters more time to study the new plan.

In the end, Schneider agreed an appeal to the Department of Environmental Protection would only drag out the process even further. A continuance was granted until September 27.

In other business, a Notice of Intent filed by Leonard and Joyce Almeida for a new septic system was conditionally approved upon receipt of a DEP file number.

Later in the proceedings, the commission discussed the ratification of environmental agent services subcontracted to Brandon Faneuf of Ecosystem Solutions, Inc. in an arrangement whereby applications requiring agent oversight will pay for Faneuf's services. King said, "There is no cost to the town." The contract was to go

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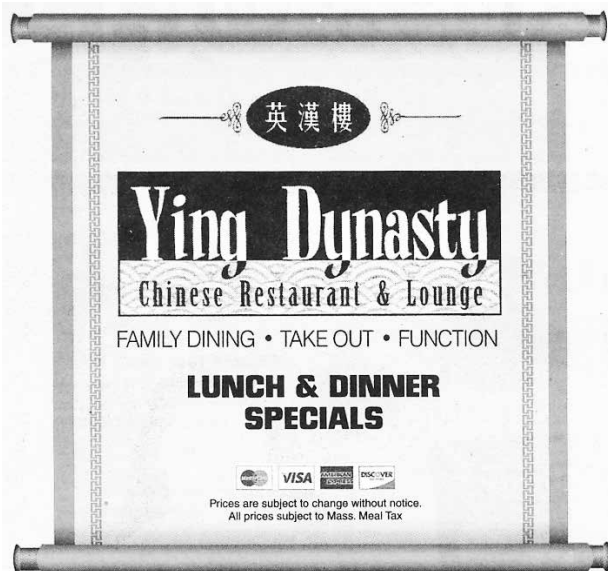
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before the Select Board for finalization on September 14.

In the meantime, a search will continue for a part-time conservation agent. Recent applicants were only interested in full-time positions, King said.

The next meeting of the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission is planned for Monday, September 27, at 6:30 pm.

Towns to Address Cities' Withdrawals

*MRV Water District Commission/Water Protection Supply
Advisory Committee*

By Mick Colageo

Fred Underhill's visit to the Mattapoisett River Valley Water District Commission was more than pleasant for the sake of a reunion with old friends, but less than pleasant for the sake of the subject at hand.

Underhill, chairman of the Rochester Water Commission, attended the MRV's Water District meeting to make members aware of an increase in the City of New Bedford's water withdrawal permit per the state Department of Environmental Protection.

On August 25, the DEP issued draft water withdrawal permits for New Bedford and Taunton. According to Underhill, New Bedford gets all of its water from the Assawompset complex but withdraws it all and treats it all at Little Quittacas Pond in North Rochester.

Snipatuit Brook connects Assawompset Pond to Snipatuit Pond, and that, Underhill suggests, should have

some concerns for the MRV.

Between New Bedford and Taunton, it was determined by a 1988 study that 27,500,000 gallons a day are drawn from Assawompset.

"As long as they stay within their volume, they don't have to deal in mitigation," said Underhill, citing 2018 DEP records that estimated total usage at 17,870,000 gallons per day.

New Bedford, he said, is permitted to withdraw 18,270,000 gallons per day, over 6 million more gallons than the 12,190,000 the city actually withdrew in 2018, nearly a 50 percent surplus over present usage. Add to that DEP's new allowance for an additional 2,500,000 gallons per day, and Underhill is troubled.

Similarly, Taunton has been allowed to withdraw an additional 1,600,000 gallons per day, making the total additional impact nearly 3 million gallons over safe yield amounts established by the DEP.

The Town of Rochester is planning to send the state a letter of objection to this latest measure; the deadline for response is 30 days from the August 25 announcement. Town Counsel Blair Bailey told MRV members that he will share a draft of his letter.

Marion DPW Director Nathaniel Munafo suggested a short MRV meeting next week to look over the draft and beat the deadline to respond. The next scheduled MRV meetings on October 12 would fall outside the legal timeline to respond to the DEP's decision, but MRV members agreed to reconvene on Thursday, September 23, at 3:30 pm in order to review the letter to DEP to address the New Bedford and Taunton water withdrawal situation.

Members speculated as to the whys and wherefores of New Bedford's request; an allocation officially sought on the basis of the Southcoast Rail project. None of the MRV members or Tata & Howard engineering consultants indicated that the rail project justifies the amount of withdrawal in the request, especially given the fact New Bedford already has been permitted 50 percent more withdrawal than what its history withdraws.

According to Underhill, New Bedford is in the

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business of selling water to other communities for profit that excludes the source towns, including Rochester. Municipalities reported to buy water from New Bedford include Dartmouth, Acushnet, Freetown (a small amount), Fairhaven (emergency use only), and Westport.

Citing New Bedford's historic use of 13 million gallons per day, its existing allocation of 18 million and now a permission to go for 2,800,000 more, Bailey told MRV members, "I don't think I've ever seen a condition where they've given somebody more when they're not even close to what they had previously."

Paul Howard of the Tata & Howard engineering firm said he does not see the growth in the city to justify the request.

"We have no ability to touch any of that water because it's all been allocated out to New Bedford and Taunton, even though it's in our community. But that's a Rochester problem," said Underhill, noting that the problem also affects Middleborough and Lakeville as well.

MRV member Nick Nicholson said the MRV should go on record as making some kind of comment. He cited New Bedford's loss of industry over the years and concluded, "They don't need as much water." Vinnie Furtado, Jeff Furtado, and Rick Charon noted their agreement.

In his Tata & Howard Report, Jon Gregory said that the engineering company sent its pilot testing report back to Koch on its Puron filter systems. Gregory will meet with Henri Renault, facilities manager for the MRV, and Koch representatives on September 30.

The MRV voted to move forward with Tata & Howard on its Emergency Response Plan update. ERP training will be held for MRV member towns' water departments on November 10 and 17 at the Music Hall in Marion.

In her Treasurer's Report, Wendy Graves said that the MRV District Commission paid a total of \$44,089.05 including large sums to Eversource (\$4,464), ECA Holding Co. (\$14,674.50), and Tata & Howard (close to \$10,000 in three invoices).

Marion DPW Engineer and MRV member



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Meghan Davis is still seeking term expiration information on the MRV Water District Commission and Water Protection Supply Advisory Committee. Henri Renault said he is waiting on the Mattapoissett Select Board, while Vinnie Furtado, the chairman of both commission and committee, and Jeff Furtado (also a member on both entities) holds indefinite appointments with the Town of Fairhaven.

In his Treasurer's Report to the committee, Jeff Furtado reported paid invoices of \$1,193.08 to Tata & Howard, \$272.36 to Dave Watling, \$153 to Megan McCarthy, and \$50 to attorney Blair Bailey. The ending balance as of September 1 was \$222,445.80.

Member emeritus David Pierce was thanked by



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Jeff Furtado for helping with assessments that have been sent out to member towns.

In addition to the customary approval by vote to pay invoices this month including \$859.18 to Tata & Howard, Vinnie Furtado was given approval to write a letter on behalf of the MRV Water Protection Advisory Committee approving the canal canopy and dual use of the solar project at 109 Neck Road in Rochester, per Beals and Thomas' request. The project consists of 1,300 linear feet of solar panels on top of bogs.

Rick Charon gave an update on Snipatuit Pond water sampling and reported that DEP scientist David Wong has catalogued all the ponds in southeast Massachusetts, identifying four invasive species.

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Snow's Pond water quality samples indicate the pond is in a pristine environment, so the DEP will not get involved per its policy of waiting to respond to problems. Snipatuit has two invasive species identified by state officials. Charon wants to talk with Wong and get a meeting with the Snipatuit Pond members. "We thought we were going to have to find someone to dig up for us, but it looks like a lot of that information is already in the hands of DEP," he said.

The planned reorganization of the committee and the commission resulted in no changes.

The MRV will meet on Thursday, September 23, at 3:30 pm in order to review the letter to DEP to address the New Bedford and Taunton water withdrawal situation. The next regular meetings of the MRV Water District Commission and Water Protection Supply Committee are scheduled for Tuesday, October 12, at 3:30 pm and 4:00 pm.

MOA in Place for Next Two Years

Marion School Committee

By Mick Colageo

In emerging from an executive session held early in its September 8 meeting to discuss collective bargaining, the Marion School Committee voted to approve the Memorandum of Agreement with the Sippican Elementary School teachers and support staff.

The committee agreed with Sippican's teachers on a two-year contract through the 2022-23 academic year and with the school's support staff, including paraprofessionals, nurses, and cafeteria workers, on a three-year contract through the 2023-24 school year.

Marion Town Administrator Jay McGrail, appointed to work on behalf of the town with the School Committee, was not present because the meeting fell in conflict with a Select Board meeting, but Old Rochester Regional Superintendent of Schools Mike Nelson reported that McGrail supports the committee moving forward with the agreements.

In an effort to achieve some consistency across the ORR district, the principals worked with Central Administration and one another on an updated Student Handbook. Sippican School Principal Marla Sirois called the result "a compilation" that reflects more additions than subtractions, along with updated language.

In answering committee member April Rios' question on the three-step on-bus disciplinary system that begins with a warning followed in the next instance of a seat at the front of the bus and, ultimately, if warranted, a five-day suspension from riding the bus, Sirois said Sippican's students are generally well behaved.

"I have not gotten to that [level of discipline with any student] yet," said Sirois. "There are many bus policies that have complete expulsion. After that third time, as an elementary [school] principal, I have a real problem with that because our children are learning how

to behave, so I feel like they need to be given as many chances as we can provide to them."

The policy was not amended, but Sirois said, "Our children are well behaved and generally do their best on the bus."

Nelson thanked the principals, noting that they also took the time to get legal counsel for feedback on language options in the Student Handbook.

The Marion School Committee voted unanimously to accept the Student Handbook as is.

In her Principal's Report, Sirois thanked staff for its work in getting the Sippican building ready for the 2021-22 academic year. Spacing in classrooms is 3 feet and spacing in the cafeteria is 6 feet.

A parent informational session was held, but parents missing any notes can find information on the Sippican website. Sirois thanked VASE, which is working on a fall Ace program that will include a running club, a craft club, and a sign-language class.

New Assistant Principal Pete Crisafulli joined Sippican School after spending 18 years in the Frontier Regional School district in South Deerfield. "Not all districts are alike, and I'm learning a lot," he said.

In a committee reorganization, Rios was unanimously voted to replace Michelle Smith as chairperson. Smith made the nomination. Nichole Daniel was unanimously voted vice chairperson.

Diana Russo was voted as recording secretary, but Nelson suggested the committee leave it "to be determined" while recognizing the "top notch" effort of Russo and Toni Bailey in the role. Russo was not present at the meeting.

Smith will continue to represent Marion on the ORR School Committee. Rios and Daniel will remain on the Joint School Committee Superintendency Union #55 and be joined by Marion School Committee member Christine Marcolini, who will fill the spot vacated by Jody Dickerson. Marion School Committee member Mary Beauregard will serve as an alternate.

Marcolini thanked Sirois and her staff for its attention to detail in getting the Sippican building ready for teachers and students. "I think that was very difficult



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for a lot of schools to do, and I think Sippican did it well," said Marcolini, noting that Sippican has achieved a balance.

In her Chairperson's Report, Rios thanked the building staff for making it possible for students to have a happy, in-school experience. "That's the one thing that I feel when you walk in that door, I feel that happiness again. That's kudos to all of you," she said.

On August 26, nine new teachers were welcomed to the ORR District, and Assistant Superintendent of Teaching and Learning Dr. Janell Pearson-Campbell discussed the new Teacher Induction Program including mentorships and professional development opportunities.


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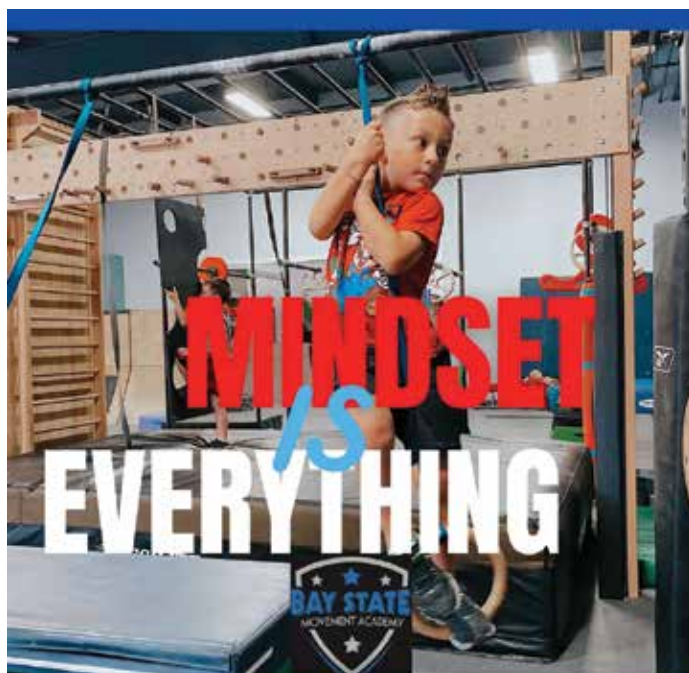
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Education teacher. Anthony, in addition to having played rugby in college, competes on two billiards teams.

Susan Swoish is a new Grade 4 teacher; her father taught at ORR High School for over 30 years, and she has two daughters who attended Sippican and later graduated from ORR.

New support staffers include paraprofessionals Lucy Lizotte, Debra Smith, Sydney Swoish, and Jocelyn Ulloa, cafeteria staffer Jacqueline L'Heureux, and Assistant Head Cook Noreen Mackie.

Sirois told the committee that the school has an opening for a social worker.

In reporting on the summer break, Nelson discussed a staff retreat focused on helping others but making sure the person in a position of leadership helps her or himself. Dr. Alex Hirschberg conducted a social-emotional learning review on the staff with recommendations for the new school year.

Nelson said the Acceleration Road Map most noticeable during the week-long, intense Acceleration Academy will continue to influence the school year.

Assistant Superintendent of Teaching and Learning Dr. Janell Pearson-Campbell reported on the Teacher Collaborative, opportunities for the staff in keeping with the district's three priorities of 21st century learning, global citizenship and project-based learning.

Director of Student Services Craig Davidson reported on the district's preschool screening scheduled for Tuesday, October 19. Also to be held that day is the Tri-Town Early Childhood Council meeting at 6:00 pm.

In reporting to the committee, Assistant Superintendent of Finance and Operations Howie Barber said the food service indications are that students are eating well. Per the USDA, 100 percent of all meals were free in 2020-21. This year students receive will free breakfast and lunch, but any additional lunches will be charged.

Nelson reported to the committee on ORR's Summer Acceleration Academy that brought K-2, Grades 3-4, 8, and 10 into the high school on August 16-20 for an intense week of learning. The K-2 students focused on early literacy, and the older grades focused on math.

The committee voted to accept a donation from Mike Demelo of Staples office store in Wareham, which has donated 125 boxes of school supplies and 50 packages of personal protective equipment.

The next meeting of the Marion School Committee is scheduled for Wednesday, October 13. The next meeting of the Joint School Committee is scheduled for September 23. All meetings begin at 6:30 pm and are accessible via Zoom.

RMS Celebrates Opening, Focuses on Town Meeting

Rochester School Committee

By Mick Colageo

Rochester School Committee Chairperson Sharon Hartley urged fellow members to attend the upcoming

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MOVIE REVIEW

Dull on Arrival

By Rob Gonsalves
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Kate. Starring Mary Elizabeth Winstead and Woody Harrelson. Directed by Cedric Nicolas-Troyan. Running time: 106 minutes. MPAA rating: R. Now streaming on Netflix.

Slicker than goose poop, Netflix's #1 trending new film *Kate* is stylishly brutal and will probably be praised in some quarters accordingly, but it leaves us wanting more. Mary Elizabeth Winstead is laconically terrific as Kate, an assassin who gets poisoned and spends the remainder of the movie, and the rest of her shortened life, searching for the *yakuza* higher-up who gave the order. Kate kills her way through Japan, coughing and injecting herself with stimulants to keep going. Even just this far into the review, film titles may have popped into your head: *John Wick* and the *Crank* films and *DOA* (either version) and many others.

In and of itself, *Kate* is smoothly pieced together, but it simply echoes too many of its ancestors to earn a place among them. It's probably best for fans of Winstead and of gnarly action — the fight choreography is quick and vicious, and the digital effects augment the carnage (Kate takes out one poor sap by shoving a knife through his lower jaw up through the bridge of his nose). Segment by segment, the movie keeps us going, like those stimulants, but ultimately it winds down, and our interest with it. Kate is provided with a damsel in distress, teenage Ani (Miku Martineau), whose uncle is a *yakuza* bigwig; her father had earlier been killed in front of her by sniper Kate, though Ani doesn't know this.

Shooting and stabbing her way up the ladder of the Japanese underworld, Kate needs to keep the whiny Ani alive, and every time we see Ani, we're reminded of how false this relationship feels, how roughly it seems forced into place. Thank God Kate's maternal instincts aren't awakened by Ani — Kate feels bad for getting Ani's dad's blood all over the kid's face, but that's about it. When Kate takes scissors to her hair in a restroom, she comes out looking a bit like Sigourney Weaver in *Aliens*. The script, sadly, doesn't give Winstead much to call her own. Kate is professional and pained and vengeful. She doesn't have time to be anything else. For the sake



of a cool visual late in the film — when Kate should be almost dead — she comes out, loaded for bear, smoking a cigarette and backed by numerous *yakuza*. Sorry, is this the same woman we've seen coughing in every scene and, pre-poison, jogging and parkouring up alley walls? There's no reason for her to put more toxins in her body and mess up her respiration other than Rule of Cool.

Which, I suppose, will be enough for some. It's probably an homage to Chow Yun-Fat in *The Killer* or *Hard Boiled*, or any number of films where an assassin blithely sucks up some nicotine before rolling up their sleeves and aerating dozens of foes. But *Kate* has too many moments like that, where we figure something's there because someone (maybe director Cedric Nicolas-Troyan, or writer Umair Aleem, or both) thought it'd look awesome. It does, kind of, but in all the old ways. Filmed in Tokyo, Bangkok, and L.A., *Kate* is full of decadent neon and Japanese hip-hop and densely packed nightclubs. There's also an evil gay assassin (played by the musician Miyavi, the obsessed sergeant in *Unbroken*) who fights well enough but, jeez, why the yellow/pink peril?

It's not as if the movie had anything to say about sexuality. Kate takes a rando to bed (contemptuously tossing a wad of cash on the nightstand), and if not for this guy, she wouldn't get poisoned. Nothing he says to her strikes us as witty or persuasive enough to score with her, so why does she bother? Then again, we never ask why James Bond or other male assassins pause to savor the touch of a woman; maybe she just needs to work off some nervous energy. God knows she doesn't have anyone else in her life, other than Woody Harrelson in a handful of scenes as Kate's handler Varrick. (Is his first name Charley?) I wasn't aware Harrelson had entered the stage of his career when he pops in for extended cameos in empty-calorie actioners. As with Winstead, his professionalism is appreciated, but one wants to be watching either of them in anything else.



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October 18 Special Town Meeting, at which time Rochester voters will be asked to consider long-coming revisions to the ORR District agreement as recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

All three of the Tri-Towns will vote on the matter in special town meetings this fall. Marion's meeting is the night after Rochester's. "We've been talking about that a long time and it's very important to us," said Hartley while addressing the September 2 meeting of the Rochester School Committee, its first of the 2021-22 academic year.

Rochester's Special Town Meeting will be held on Monday, October 18, in 7:00 pm in the Rochester Memorial School cafetorium. Superintendent of Schools

Mike Nelson said the last revisions were made to the ORR District agreement in 1986.

In addressing the committee, RMS Principal Derek Medeiros said the facilities management and staff made the school beautiful and ready for its teachers, not only in terms of cleanliness but technologically as well.

RMS opened with 3 feet of spacing in the classrooms and 6 feet of spacing in the cafeteria. "This nice thing about this school year, as I mentioned several times in Medeiros' Minute (segments on the school's website) ... we feel like all our teachers have tools in their toolbox to function," said Medeiros. "We couldn't have asked for a smoother first two days of school."

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Barbara Marie (Hanrahan) DeLoid, 95, of Providence, RI, formerly of Marion died Friday, Sept. 3, 2021 at Elmwood Nursing Center in Providence. She was the wife of the late Albert R. Deloid.

Born in Worcester, the daughter of the late Joseph P. and Katherine (Critin) Hanrahan, she graduated from Worcester City Hospital School of Nursing and worked as a registered nurse in many states. She was also senior instructor at Old Iron Gym in E. Wareham & volunteered as a Senior Aerobics Instructor at the Buzzards Bay Community Center for many years.

She is survived by her daughter, Audrey DeLoid of Warwick, RI; 10 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren, and 7 great great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by her sons, the late Charles "CJ" DeLoid, the late Randall DeLoid., the late Miles DeLoid, her daughter late Gale Leary as well as her granddaughter, the late Danielle Nault Penolosa.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Friday, Sept. 17, 2021 at St. Margaret's Church, 141 Main St., Buzzards Bay on at 11 am. Interment will follow in Agawam Cemetery, Wareham.



George F. Demers, 83, of Rochester died September 8, 2021 at home, in the arms of his loving wife of 65 years, Jacqueline A. (Moreau) Demers. He fought a 17 year-long and courageous battle with cancer, until it finally took his body, but never his fighting spirit.

Born in Pawtucket, RI, son of the late Milton L. and Florence (Fowler) Demers, he was raised in Lincoln, RI and lived in New Bedford before moving to

Rochester 30 years ago.

He was formerly employed as a physical education teacher at Fairhaven Junior High School for 37 years until his retirement in 1990. George was first and foremost a devoted husband and father. As his kids grew, he and Jackie retired to care for his triplet grandkids and his beloved Brayden. He was an avid, organic gardener and loved to provide healthful food to those around him. He tackled building projects, large and small, including building his current home, creating a hot water solar heating system, putting an addition on his daughter's home, and building a motor home from the chassis up, which carried his family on many adventures, including a summer-long trip out west. He loved scuba diving, and finding many gifts of the sea to feed family and friends. May you find that elusive anchor now that you are free.

Loving survivors include the one and only love of his life, his beloved wife Jackie; his daughter, Donna Demers of Agawam, MA; his 2 sons Michael Demers and his wife Karen

of New Bedford and Christopher Demers and his wife Natalie of Deltona, FL; 3 brothers, Milton Demers and Kenneth Demers, both of Lincoln, RI and Paul Demers of CT; his sister, Joan Shaw of Ashaway, RI; 7 grandchildren, Zachary, Daniel, Cheyenne, Cierra, Christopher, Cameron and Sydney; and many nieces and nephews.

He was predeceased by his eldest sister Florence Banning of PA.

The family would like to give special thanks George's doctors, Dr. Amy Wiegant and Dr. Othman and their staffs, and the special angels of the Southcoast Visiting Nurses Hospice Care, who provided him and the entire family with such loving and compassionate care.

Private arrangements are with the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Rd. (Rt. 6), Mattapoisett. In lieu of flowers, please share your love and be extra kind to one another. For online guestbook, visit www.saundersdwyer.com.



Raymond Francis Morris, 86, of Rochester, died Sept. 6, 2021 at home. He was the son of the late Antone F. and Irene S. (Rivard) Morris and stepson of the late Jean Plaud Morris.

He was born in New Bedford and lived in Rochester for over 54 years. He served in the U. S. Navy Reserves for 8 years.

Mr. Morris worked as a Truck Driver for New England Teamsters Union, Local 59 for many years before retiring. He also worked for D. W. White Construction Co. and Gilmore Cranberry Co.

He enjoyed classic cars, fishing, and tinkering with clocks. He was a longtime Yankees fan and his favorite pitcher was Catfish Hunter.

Survivors include a son, Darren M. Morris and his wife Melanie of Rochester; 3 daughters, Cheryl A. Burrell and her husband Brent of Acushnet, Lynn M. Morris and her husband William Revoir of Falmouth and Doreen A. Belliveau of Hinsdale, NH; 4 sisters, Vivian Daffinee of Spring Hill, FL, Jeanette Gump of Acushnet, Carol Souza of Largo, FL and Sandra Sorrell of Dartmouth; his former wife, Muriel (Bourbeau) Bishop of Hinsdale, NH; 11 grandchildren; 7 great grandchildren; many nephews and nieces. He was predeceased by his longtime companion, Lillian Tomkiewicz.

His services will be private. Donations in his memory may be made to Wounded Warrior Project, P.O. Box 758516, Topeka, Kansas 66675-8516.

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to postpone school in the ORR district due to the flooding caused by Tropical Storm Ida, Nelson recognized a level of confidence among faculty that he said was in part the product of the hard work done last year in challenging circumstances.

Hartley thanked the ORR district staff for its work in helping schools achieve consistency.

In referencing an in-person open house at RMS, Medeiros thanked the community and faculty/staff for implementing the policies that were put in place for safety. "A lot of positive feedback was received," he said. "It was a very successful event."

Medeiros said bus capacities are "pretty evenly distributed" without any drastic aberrations.

The committee received a first draft of the RMS Student Handbook with a request to review and offer feedback. The handbook is accessible online, but if families do not have internet access, the school will print a copy for them.

Four new staff members have joined Rochester Memorial.

Michael Forns is a new Grade 3 teacher. Introduced by Medeiros as "a bit of a journeyman" because of his versatile resume, it should be noted that Forns has traveled to 48 of the America's 50 states, so he's a journeyman in more ways than one.

"At times we joked that he should have had rollerblades because he was going from one room to the next," said Medeiros of the former teacher who served Rochester Memorial in various capacities before returning to the classroom.

"This really is the best school system I have ever encountered," said Forns. "The support from the top down to the colleagues that you work with is just, I mean, it's unparalleled. The community itself, working with the kids, it's a very special place."

Paige Teves is a Grade 6 ELA teacher, and Alison Guard has joined the RMS staff as the principal's new secretary and Janet Lepage is a new lunch aide at the school, returning from a brief retirement to resume her long career serving at RMS.

Later, Nelson noted the retirements of "beloved" RMS staffers Karen Lefebvre, Karen Della Cioppa, and Donna Abaray.

Medeiros said RMS is in the hiring process for a Grade 1-3 teacher.

Hartley welcomed all the new staff with a gift of apples. She also welcomed Jason Chisholm, who was attending his first meeting as a member of the Rochester School Committee.

Noting that the work of the budget subcommittee was key in helping the district get off to a great start, Nelson also thanked *The Wanderer* for its coverage of the Summer Acceleration Academy that brought K-2, Grades 3-4, 8, and 10 into ORR High School rooms for an intense week of learning on August 16-20. The K-2 students focused on early literacy, and the older grades focused on

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Thursday September 16, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM On the Move
8:30 AM Health Source
9:00 AM Schvitz'n with Norm
9:30 AM Falmouth Holiday Services - Yom Kippur
12:15 PM Mike Paige Doodle Club
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Music Monday's with Houston Bernard
2:00 PM Learning Music with Pat
2:30 PM Science 360
3:00 PM A Conversation With...
3:30 PM Fur, Fins, and Feathers
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM Falmouth Community Series - Yom Kippur
6:30 PM Books and the World
7:00 PM Reeling Movie Review
7:31 PM This is America & The World
8:00 PM Money Matters TV
8:30 PM Registers Report
9:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
10:00 PM Talking Trek
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Friday September 17, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Seniors on the Move
8:00 AM Health Source
8:31 AM Living & Learning with Disabilities
9:33 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM Mike Paige Doodle Club
11:00 AM Cape Conversations
11:30 AM Music Monday's with Houston Bernard
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Sippican Historical Society - The Beetle Cat at 100
2:31 PM Tri-County Quartet at the Rochester COA
3:30 PM The Non-Profit World
3:50 PM Author Talk - Kathleen Hickey
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM Fur, Fins, and Feathers
5:00 PM Life's Happy Stories
5:30 PM Off the Shelf
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Recovery Recreation TV
7:00 PM Arts Alive

7:30 PM A Conversation With...
8:00 PM Pete on the Street
8:30 PM In the Toy Box
9:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
10:00 PM Gay USA
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Saturday September 18, 2021

6:00 AM Saturday Morning Cartoons
9:00 AM Health Source
9:32 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM Wellness Wednesday
11:00 AM Cape Conversations
11:30 AM Lucy's World of Painting
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Southcoast Matters TV
2:01 PM Southcoast Matters TV
2:32 PM Inspiring Careers
3:00 PM A Conversation With...
3:30 PM For Art's Sake
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM Garden Talk with Teresa
5:11 PM Conversations in Mental Health
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM The Jeannine Hunt Experience
7:04 PM Marion Concert Band - August 27, 2021
8:30 PM Money Matters TV
9:00 PM Registers Report
9:30 PM Two Tones with George Lopes
10:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Sunday September 19, 2021

6:00 AM Health Expert
6:37 AM Living & Learning with Disabilities
7:39 AM Mental Wellness Coping Skills for Caregivers
8:00 AM Mattapoissett Congregational Church
8:30 AM The Art of Being Human
9:00 AM First Congregational Church of Rochester
10:00 AM St. Gabriel's Episcopal Church of Marion
11:00 AM Lucy's World of Painting
11:30 AM Music Monday's with Houston Bernard
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Southcoast Matters TV

2:01 PM Southcoast Matters TV
2:32 PM City Hall Insider
3:00 PM Piney Point Players - Charlotte's Web
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM This is America & The World
5:00 PM This is America & The World
5:30 PM Fur, Fins, and Feathers
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM The World Fusion Show
7:00 PM In the Toy Box
7:30 PM Beacon Hill Report
8:02 PM Recovery Recreation TV
8:30 PM Pete on the Street
9:00 PM Reeling Movie Review
9:31 PM Books and the World
10:00 PM Ghost Chronicles
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Monday September 20, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Seniors on the Move
8:00 AM The Art of Tai Chi
9:00 AM You and Your Health
9:30 AM Schvitz'n with Norm
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM Southcoast Matters TV
11:00 AM Southcoast Matters TV
11:30 AM Cape Conversations
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM Cooking Healthy with Coastline
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Marion Concert Band - August 27, 2021
2:50 PM Garden Talk with Teresa
3:30 PM For Art's Sake
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM Health Expert
5:08 PM Recovery Recreation TV
5:30 PM Music Monday's with Houston Bernard
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM This is America & The World
7:00 PM This is America & The World
7:30 PM Pete on the Street
8:00 PM Off the Shelf
8:30 PM Stop My Crisis
9:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
10:00 PM Gay USA
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Tuesday September 21, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM On the Move
8:30 AM You and Your Health
9:00 AM Health Expert
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM Conversations in Mental Health

11:01 AM Tree Communication
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Marcus Monteiro Interview
2:00 PM In the Toy Box
2:30 PM A Cranberry Harvest
3:00 PM Fur, Fins, and Feathers
3:30 PM Life's Happy Stories
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM What Autistics Want You to Know with Chuck McIntyre
5:34 PM Recovery Recreation TV
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM The World Fusion Show
7:00 PM Fan to Fan
7:30 PM Off the Shelf
8:00 PM Money Matters TV
8:30 PM Two Tones with George Lopes
9:00 PM Talking Trek
10:00 PM Gay USA
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Wednesday September 22, 2021

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Health Expert
8:00 AM Health Source
8:44 AM Conversations in Mental Health
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM Lucy's World of Painting
11:00 AM Mattapoissett Congregational Church
11:30 AM Wellness Wednesday
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
1:30 PM Music Monday's with Houston Bernard
2:00 PM Southcoast Matters TV
2:30 PM Southcoast Matters TV
3:00 PM Tri-County Quartet at the Rochester COA
4:00 PM Paltrocst
4:30 PM Living & Learning with Disabilities
5:32 PM Recovery Recreation TV
6:00 PM Tri-Town TV
6:30 PM Off the Shelf
7:00 PM Fan to Fan
7:30 PM Registers Report
8:00 PM Science 360
8:30 PM A Conversation With...
9:00 PM 4 Deep Sports Talk
10:00 PM Ghost Chronicles
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

MARION GOVERNMENT

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Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Marion Planning Board - September 7, 2021
7:35 AM Marion Select Board - September 8, 2021
9:00 AM Marion Conservation Commission - September 8, 2021
10:07 AM Marion Zoning Board of Appeals - September 9, 2021
11:30 AM Marion Board of Health - September 7, 2021
12:00 PM ORR Joint School Committee - August 26, 2021
1:21 PM Marion Open Space Acquisition Commission - September 2, 2021
1:34 PM Tri-Town Board of Selectman - September 1, 2021
2:00 PM Marion Select Board/ Finance Committee - August 25, 2021
3:30 PM Marion Planning Board - September 7, 2021
4:05 PM Marion Select Board - September 8, 2021
5:30 PM Marion Conservation Commission - September 8, 2021
6:37 PM Marion Zoning Board of Appeals - September 9, 2021
8:00 PM Marion Board of Health - September 7, 2021
8:30 PM ORR Joint School Committee - August 26, 2021
9:51 PM Marion Open Space Acquisition Commission - September 2, 2021
10:04 PM Tri-Town Board of Selectman - September 1, 2021
10:30 PM Marion Select Board/ Finance Committee - August 25, 2021

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT

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Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - September 9, 2021
8:00 AM Rochester Board of Selectman - September 7, 2021
8:32 AM Tri-Town Board of Selectman - September 1, 2021
9:00 AM Rochester School Committee - September 2, 2021
10:39 AM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - August 26, 2021
12:30 PM Rochester Conservation Commission - September 7, 2021

2:06 PM ORR Joint School Committee - August 26, 2021
3:30 PM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - September 9, 2021
4:30 PM Rochester Board of Selectman - September 7, 2021
5:02 PM Tri-Town Board of Selectman - September 1, 2021
5:30 PM Rochester School Committee - September 2, 2021
7:09 PM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - August 26, 2021
9:00 PM Rochester Conservation Commission - September 7, 2021
10:36 PM ORR Joint School Committee - August 26, 2021

EDUCATION CHANNEL

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Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Marion COA Meditation - August 17, 2021
8:00 AM What Autistics Want You to Know with Chuck McIntyre
9:04 AM Tree Communication
10:00 AM Piney Point Players - Charlotte's Web
11:00 AM OnStage Student Showcase 2021 Selections
12:00 PM ORR Music Education
1:00 PM Sippican Historical Society - The Beetle Cat at 100
2:01 PM Tri-County Quartet at the Rochester COA
3:00 PM OnStage Musical Theater Showcase 2021
3:34 PM Marion Concert Band - August 27, 2021
5:00 PM Piney Point Players - Charlotte's Web
6:00 PM ORR Music Education
7:00 PM What Autistics Want You to Know with Chuck McIntyre
8:04 PM Tree Communication
9:00 PM Sippican Historical Society - The Beetle Cat at 100
10:01 PM Marion Concert Band - August 27, 2021
11:30 PM Tri-County Quartet at the Rochester COA

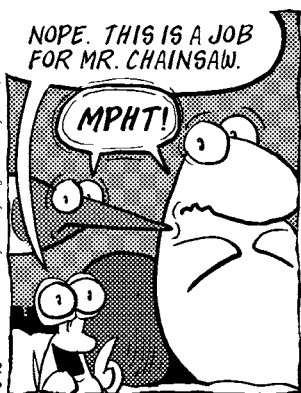
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Using data to identify which students could most benefit, the event drew over 150 students to get a head start on grade-level material and promote a sense of belonging. Nelson said the usage of data was pivotal in refocusing school on teaching and learning.

Faculty was also prepared for the new school year, as keynote speaker Keith Davis of the Say Yes Institute addressed district staff the day before classes opened.

Davis' "push" forward philosophy was augmented by his "second half" awareness that referenced two distinctly different outcomes for the New England Patriots in Super Bowls. As examples, Davis used the Patriots' loss to the New York Giants (for whom the linebacker briefly played before a knee injury prematurely ended his football career) and New England's historic comeback against Atlanta that culminated in the only Super Bowl ever decided in overtime.

The RMS Committee held a reorganization vote, including appointments to subcommittees that meet either monthly or seasonally.

Hartley will once again serve as chairperson for the 2021-22 academic year. Accepting the nomination, Hartley indicated she intends to serve one more year. Anne Fernandes was voted as vice chair, and Diana Russo was voted to serve as secretary.

Chisholm volunteered to represent Rochester



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TriTOWN HAPPENINGS



Judy Egan's pastel painting of a swan is one of more than two dozen works of art now on display at the Marion Council on Aging, created by members of the Canal Side Artists group and the Rochester COA's Monday Morning Painters group. Photo by Marilou Newell



Watercolorist Judy Carver's breathtaking paintings are now on exhibit in a two-person show with Sarah Brown at the Marion Art Center. Photo by Marilou Newell



Pastel artist Sarah Brown's paintings are now on display at the Marion Art Center in a two-person tour de force with watercolorist Judy Carver. Photo by Marilou Newell



The Old Rochester Regional High School Class of 1971 celebrated its 50th reunion on September 12 at Ned's Point. The day brought beautiful weather, and everyone had a nice time. Photo by Debbie Silva

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on the ORR District School Committee. At Nelson's suggestion, Kate Duggan was appointed an alternate member to ensure Rochester fair representation for important votes in the absence of any regular member.

Hartley, Fernandes and Robin Rounseville had represented Rochester on the Superintendency Union #55 side of the Joint School Committee. Chisholm will replace Rounseville in that trio as well.

Assistant Superintendent of Finance and Operations Howie Barber said he will provide a formal financial report in October. Barber offered a note to be aware that transportation restrictions are not the same as last school year, and also a food service summary.

Per the USDA, 100 percent of all meals were free in 2020-21. This year students receive free breakfast and lunch, but any additional lunches will be charged.

Nelson told the committee that air purifiers have been ordered and shipped for all classrooms in ORR district schools. HVAC and air-filter inspections were scheduled to take place on the September 4-5 weekend.

Chisholm suggested reporting to families on the results of such inspections and testing to address families' concerns.

Dr. Janell Pearson-Campbell reported to the RMS Committee on the Teacher Collaborative that is currently assisting faculty members in their licensing for respective areas of practice. "Our teachers are currently in that process right now," said Pearson-Campbell, who plans professional development opportunities for the staff in keeping with the district's three priorities of 21st century learning, global citizenship, and project-based learning.

Director of Student Services Craig Davidson reported 16 fully enrolled pre-school students at RMS, and eight other students in Individualized Education Plans. Eight more students are on the waitlist in the event slots open up over the course of the academic year.

On Tuesday, October 19, ORR School District will hold its preschool screening during the day and, at night, hold its Tri-Town Early Childhood Council meeting from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm via Zoom. The format could change to in-person.

Davidson reported that he and Pearson-

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The Town of Marion held a ceremony on September 11 to mark the 20th anniversary of the terrorist attacks on the United States, the courage shown by first responders, and the memory of those who made the ultimate sacrifice in service to their nation. Senator Marc R. Pacheco was on hand and joined Marion officials in addressing the gathering. Pictured from left: Town Administrator Jay McGrail, Select Board member John Waterman, Senator Pacheco, Select Board member Randy Parker, Chief of Police Richard Nighelli, and Fire Chief Brian Jackvony. Photos by Mick Colageo



A truck is loaded to haul away the last of the sludge from the lagoon at Marion's wastewater treatment plant on Benson Brook Road on Monday morning. The operation, overseen by Methuen Construction, is expected to be completed this week, paving the way for the grading and relining of the lagoon by the end of October. Photos by Mick Colageo

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Campbell worked together with multiple teachers and Early Childhood coordinator Doreen Lopes on building equitable support for children with disabilities.

The grant-funded program from the state Department of Elementary and Secondary Education helped provide the basis for equitable support and anti-bias practices, allowing students to see themselves within the materials reflecting different nationalities, cultures, and race.

Nelson congratulated Davidson on his weekend wedding.

The RMS Committee concluded by entering executive session to discuss collective bargaining.

The next meeting of the Rochester School Committee is scheduled for October 7. The next meeting of the Joint School Committee is scheduled for September 23. All meetings begin at 6:30 pm and are accessible via Zoom.

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Academic Achievements

It is with great pleasure that Southern New Hampshire University (SNHU) congratulates **Jamie Ditata** of Rochester, **Jodi Richards-Auld** of Marion, and **Katelyn Goyette** of Rochester on being named to the summer 2021 President's List.

MCPHS University is pleased to announce the students who have been named to the Dean's List for the Spring 2021 semester: **Cayla Silva** is a native of Marion and is pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Dental Hygiene degree. Cayla will graduate from the MCPHS University Online campus in 2021. **Sarah Sirois** is a native of Mattapoisett and is pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Health Psychology degree. Sarah will graduate from the Boston, Massachusetts campus in 2022. **Elexus Afonso** is a native of Rochester and is pursuing a Doctor of Pharmacy degree. Elexus will graduate from the Boston, Massachusetts campus in 2022.

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- Village Dr – Noise complaint
- Front St – Mental health assist
- Delano Rd – Health/welfare
- East Ave – EMS/medical
- Front St – Lost property
- Island Wharf Rd – Parking
- Mill St – EMS/medical
- Wilson Rd – Lockout
- Piney Point – EMS/medical
- Water St – Parking enforcement
- Marion Rd - Disturbance
- Point Rd – Found property
- Wareham Rd – MV collision
- Sparrow Ln – EMS/medical
- Oak St – Officer wanted
- Wareham Rd – Noise complaint
- Village Dr – EMS/medical
- Joanne Dr – Paper service
- Vine St – Family offense
- Hartley Ln – Health/welfare
- Island Wharf Rd – EMS/medical
- Mill St – MV collision
- Hartley Ln – Health/welfare
- Wareham Rd - Fraud
- Marion Harbor – Waterways
- Rezendes Ter – Officer wanted
- Front St – Paper service
- Point Rd – EMS/medical
- Wareham Rd – Disturbance/family

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights Sept 5-Sept 11

- Marion Rd – MV crash
- County Rd – Assist citizen
- Main St – 911 abandoned
- Chapel Rd – Assist other agency
- Nashawena Rd – MV lockout
- Marion Rd - Disturbance
- Hammond St – Assist citizen
- North St – 911 call
- Long Plain Rd – Animal control
- County Rd - Vandalism
- Main St – MV violations
- Long Plain Rd – 911 call
- Marion Rd - Disturbance
- Marion Rd – MV crash
- Angelica Ave – Medical/assist
- Neds Point Rd – MV lockout
- Ocean View Ave -911 call
- Brookside Dr – No trespassing
- Fairhaven Rd – MV violations
- Brookside Dr – General service
- Marion Rd – MV violations
- Park St – Health/welfare
- Marion Rd - Threats
- County Rd – 911 call
- County Rd – Health/welfare
- North St – Property found
- County Rd - Trespassing
- Waterman St – Ambulance
- Fairhaven Rd – MV violations

ROCHESTER

Log highlights Sept 5-Sept 11

- Robinson Rd – 911 call
- Hartley Rd – Animal control
- County Rd - Investigation
- Pine St – Noise complaint
- Ryder Rd - Medical
- Kings Hwy – MV collision
- Marys Pond Rd - Medical
- Marion Rd - Vandalism
- Pine St - Medical
- Braley Hill Rd – MV stop/citation
- North Ave - Medical
- Vaughn Hill Rd – 911 call
- County Rd – Suspicious activity
- New Bedford Rd - Medical
- Allen Rd – Suspicious activity
- Comstock PI – 911 call
- Kings Hwy – 911 call
- Maxim Rd – Keep the peace
- North Ave – MV stop/citation
- Stevens Rd - Larceny
- Neck Rd – MV stop/summons
- Mattapoisett Rd – Panic alarm
- Mill Pond Rd - Burglary
- Randall Rd - Medical
- Rounseville Rd -911 call
- Walnut Plain Rd – Well being
- Bates Rd – MV collision
- Horse Neck Dr – 911 call
- High St – Noise complaint

For a full PDF of the three towns' police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.



REGIONAL LUNCH MENUS

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, Sept 20: Turkey a la king, confetti rice, broccoli/cauliflower, dinner roll, peaches

Tuesday, Sept 21: Chicken marsala, penne pasta, peas & pimiento, whole wheat bread, pineapple

Wednesday, Sept 22: Roast pork w/ apple gravy, red bliss potatoes, brussels sprouts, multigrain bread, brownie, diet: low-sugar cookie

Thursday, Sept 23: Meatloaf w/ mushroom gravy, mashed potato, country vegetables, oatmeal bread, fresh apple

Friday, Sept 24: Hot dog, mustard, baked beans, glazed carrots, hot dog roll, pears

CENTER SCHOOL

Monday, Sept 20: Cheeseburger, oven baked potato wedges, lettuce/tomato topping, pickle, fun size chips

Tuesday, Sept 21: Taco Tuesday: Seasoned refried beans, Mexicali corn, crunchy cucumber coins, chilled peaches

Wednesday, Sept 22: Warm ham, egg & cheese croissant sandwich, hashbrown patty, fresh veggie sticks, orange smiles

Thursday, Sept 23: Creamy macaroni & cheese, garlic breadstick, glazed carrots, applesauce

Friday, Sept 24: Cheese pizza, garden salad, chilled pears, assorted salad dressing

OLD HAMMONDTOWN

Monday, Sept 20: Cheeseburger, oven baked potato wedges, lettuce/tomato topping, pickle, fun size chips

Tuesday, Sept 21: Taco Tuesday:

Seasoned refried beans, Mexicali corn, crunchy cucumber coins, chilled peaches

Wednesday, Sept 22: Warm ham, egg & cheese croissant sandwich, hashbrown patty, fresh veggie sticks, orange smiles

Thursday, Sept 23: Creamy macaroni & cheese, garlic breadstick, glazed carrots, applesauce

Friday, Sept 24: Cheese pizza, garden salad, chilled pears, assorted salad dressing

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH

Monday, Sept 20: Cheeseburger, oven baked potato wedges, lettuce/tomato topping, pickle, fun size chips

Tuesday, Sept 21: Taco Tuesday:

Seasoned refried beans, Mexicali corn, crunchy cucumber coins, chilled peaches

Wednesday, Sept 22: Warm ham, egg & cheese croissant sandwich, hashbrown patty, fresh veggie sticks, orange smiles

Thursday, Sept 23: Creamy macaroni & cheese, garlic breadstick, glazed carrots, applesauce

Friday, Sept 24: Cheese pizza, garden salad, chilled pears, assorted salad dressing

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL

Monday, Sept 20: Cheeseburger, oven baked potato wedges, lettuce/tomato topping, pickle, fun size chips

Tuesday, Sept 21: Taco Tuesday:

Seasoned refried beans, Mexicali corn, crunchy cucumber coins, chilled peaches

Wednesday, Sept 22: Warm ham, egg & cheese croissant sandwich, hashbrown patty, fresh veggie sticks, orange smiles

Thursday, Sept 23: Creamy macaroni & cheese, garlic breadstick, glazed carrots, applesauce

Friday, Sept 24: Cheese pizza, garden salad, chilled pears, assorted salad dressing

SIPPICAN SCHOOL

Monday, Sept 20: Cheeseburger, oven baked potato wedges, lettuce/tomato topping, pickle, fun size chips

Tuesday, Sept 21: Taco Tuesday:

Seasoned refried beans, Mexicali corn, crunchy cucumber coins, chilled peaches

Wednesday, Sept 22: Warm ham, egg & cheese croissant sandwich, hashbrown patty, fresh veggie sticks, orange smiles

Thursday, Sept 23: Creamy macaroni & cheese, garlic breadstick, glazed carrots, applesauce

Friday, Sept 24: Cheese pizza, garden salad, chilled pears, assorted salad dressing

OLD COLONY REGIONAL

Monday, Sept 20: Tacos, salsa, cheese, lettuce, tomato, corn & black beans in a taco shell or over rice

Tuesday, Sept 21: Chicken nuggets & fries

Wednesday, Sept 22: Chicken parmesan & spaghetti

Thursday, Sept 23: Hot dogs & fries

Friday, Sept 24: Assorted pizza

them in the amazing mountains of New Hampshire! The trip will take place in June of 2022 but fundraising to help offset the cost has already begun. Please join Sippican Elementary's 6th grade class at the Sippican School bus loop on Saturday, **September 18**, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm as they begin their fundraising efforts for this amazing educational experience. For \$5 per wash, these students will make your car shine. Rain date is Saturday, September 25, at the COA in Marion.

MNHM After School Program

Marion Natural History Museum Fall 2021 after school programs include:

September 29 – Seashore netting. We will be walking down to the Marion Harbormaster's beach to use the large seining net and see what animals are still in the harbor. Water shoes are strongly recommended, and please wear appropriate clothing. We will definitely be getting wet! (Pick-up will be at the Harbormasters Office).

October 6 – Introduction to Forestry with MA State Forester James Rassman. Join Service Forester Jim Rassman as we learn about the trees of Massachusetts. We will learn about different types of local trees, how to tell how old a tree is, and the benefits that trees and forests provide to us all. If the weather is nice, we will get to meet a few trees that grow nearby.

October 20 – Bird Migration! with Justin Barrett, President of the Nasketucket Bird Club. Bird migration is one of the most harrowing feats a bird can accomplish! We'll be learning about how and why so many birds migrate every year, and some of the dangers that come along with it. We'll also be exploring the outdoors looking and listening for birds. If you have a pair of binoculars, please bring them.

November 3 – NECWA terrapin and sunfish program with Carol "Krill" Carson, founder and president of the New England Coastal Wildlife Alliance. Each late summer and fall, ocean sunfish strand along the shores of Cape Cod. Many are trying to navigate their way south to warmer wintering areas. NECWA is the only organization that attempts to save these animals and get them back into deeper water. If they wash ashore



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dead, then we conduct a necropsy. We also assist Mass Audubon with its sea turtle stranding season which occurs in late fall through the end of December. Last fall, NECWA expanded its rescue and research to include the Atlantic torpedo, the only electric ray that also strands annually along our NE shores.

November 17 – Shed hunting 101 – Shed hunting is the pursuit of finding antlers that have been naturally shed by any antler-bearing mammal such as moose, caribou, elk, and deer. These dropped antlers are commonly referred to as "sheds" or "shed antlers." Shed hunting is a great opportunity to get outdoors, work your legs, and spend time with family and friends of any shed-hunting skill level. Let's see if we can find any evidence of deer in Holmes Woods.

December 15 – Holiday party – Let's have fun together designing gifts with natural and recycled craft materials. Bring your unique artistic talents and let's make some gifts for the holidays. Depending on health restrictions at that time, we hope to be offering snacks and drinks to fuel your creative efforts.

Programs are \$8 for members, \$10 for nonmembers. To register for these programs, please visit www.marionmuseum.org.

Marion Art Center

The Marion Art Center has added a new Children's Art Lab Program for young children. Art



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- 1 Earns back, as losses
8 Study of vision
14 One who's not stingy
20 Shrunk
21 Disperse from a central point
22 Spacecraft segment
23 Will soon obtain U.K. citizenship?
25 Like Peru's mountains
26 Revered Fr. nun, maybe
27 Motorist's crime, for short
28 Soccer icon
30 "Phooey!"
31 "That louse just hatched a few hours ago?"
39 Aim at
42 Styling sites
43 Hilarity
44 Book after Song of Solomon

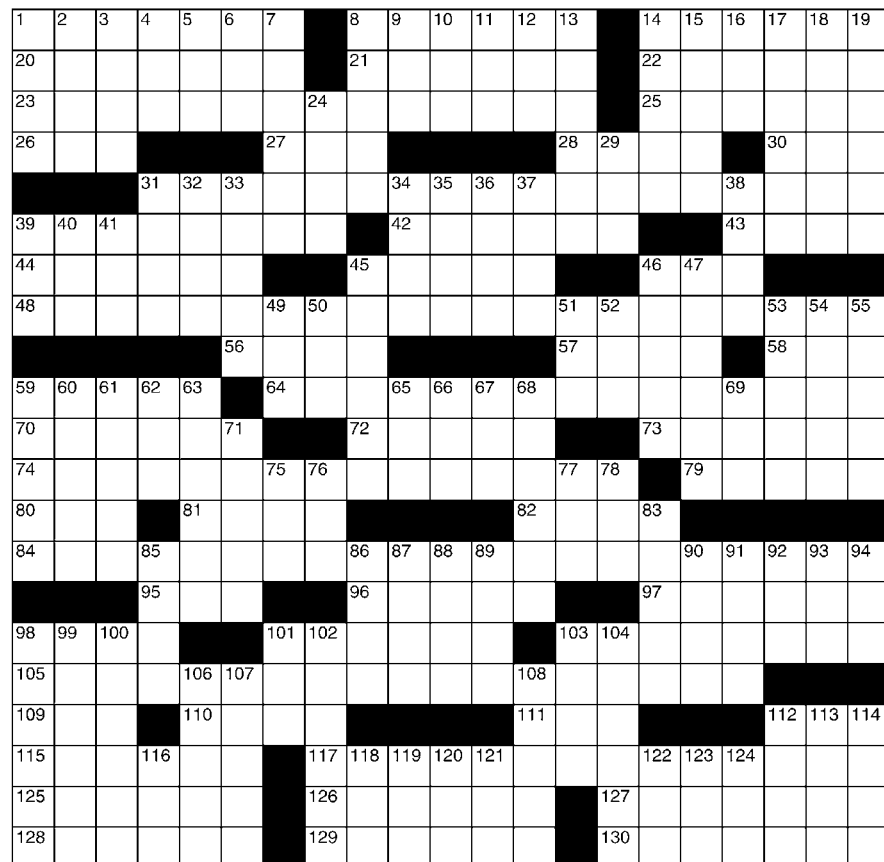
- 45 "To recap..."
46 Swiss river
48 Hairy pollinator's darling
56 Hairstyle
57 On — streak (lucky)
58 "Hamilton" composer — -Manuel Miranda
59 Watch over
64 Partial mending of a paper cut?
70 Excited pointer's cry
72 Diner
73 Pink pencil tip
74 Siblings who compose legal orders?
79 Spacek of film
80 Dude's prom duds
81 "Now, Voyager" actress Chase
82 In — (as first placed)
84 "My career as a tailor will start soon?"
95 Tee lead-in
96 Chris of tennis

- 97 Certain pizza chain logo
98 Depletes
101 Major road
103 4 p.m. social event, maybe
105 Interweave while wearing a lustrous
107 Sir Lancelot costume?
109 Omelet need
110 Get up
111 Hockey hero Bobby
112 Historical unit
115 Headwear for Fred Astaire
117 Occupy a chair to apply Visine drops?
125 Invent
126 Like green bananas
127 Filthy place
128 Closet staple
129 Mini and midi
130 Orthodontic separators

DOWN

- 1 Rally cheers
2 "QED" center
3 Costco unit
4 Suffix with schnozz
5 Kind of PC port
6 For each
7 Declined the offer
8 "Come —!" ("Get real!")
9 NBAer Gasol
10 Blasting stuff
11 Debtor's note
12 Mongrel
13 Get involved
14 Teeny
15 Sweetie pie
16 Tack (on)
17 Very sorry
18 Paige on a stage
19 Backpedal
24 Lookalike
29 High rollers?
31 End-of-workweek cry
32 Make whole
33 Moral tenet
34 Lacks life
35 Kimono belt
36 Swivel
37 Burial locale
38 Ugly fairy-tale figure
39 — for tat
40 Silver-gray
41 "Norma —"
45 Less sure
46 Outranking
47 Fiddles with
49 Talking — (scoldings)
50 With
77-Down, well-drilling structure
51 Egypt and Syr., once
52 Conductance unit, once
53 Hallow
54 German indefinite article
55 See 113-Down
59 Mafioso John
60 "Yep"
61 Siri's Amazon counterpart
62 Ticket info
63 Fishing boats
65 Asian ideal
66 "Addams Family" cousin
67 "Eh, so-so"
68 Determine beforehand
69 — tai (drink)
71 Drying ovens
75 Ruling from a boxing ref
76 Ball swatter
77 See 50-Down
78 Actor Gilliam
83 Allow to flow again
85 Life jacket, e.g.
86 Himalayan humanoid
87 Fifty-fifty
88 Actress Polo

- 89 — Mawr College
90 Hurly-burly
91 Epps of "House"
92 Fish feature
93 "Ltd." cousin
94 Boot tip
98 Brief outline
99 Longhair cat
100 Filthy place
101 Horse's kin
102 Monkey used in research
103 Fills with black gunk
104 Slip-ups
106 Fuming mad
107 Gunpowder stuff
108 Stabs
112 "Jane —"
113 With
55-Down, back-door access
114 Some cobras
116 Ugly fairy-tale figure
118 Signing stuff
119 Prefix with cycle or color
120 Holiday tree
121 Make a pick
122 Jay-Z's genre
123 Ticket info
124 List abbr.



SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Mars, your ruling planet, helps you deal with career challenges in a way that reflects some of your own hidden strengths. This impresses some important decision-makers.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Your strong Bovine will, combined with your romantic nature (you are ruled by Venus), helps turn a romance with a potential for problems into one with more-positive possibilities.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Mercury's influence creates some unsettling moments, but nothing that you can't live with. You'll soon learn more about that major change that is about to be revealed.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Opportunities for you are like the phases of the Moon: constantly appearing and reappearing. So, cheer up. The opportunity you think you let slip by will be replaced by another.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) An opportunity that you hoped would open up for you remains closed. Stop wasting time scratching at it. Something else you'll like will soon make itself apparent and accessible.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) Congratulations. You'll soon hear some positive feedback for all the hard work you recently put into a project. A Pisces could soon swim into your personal life.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Someone whose friendship you felt you had to write off will try to revive it. What you do is up to you. But don't do it without giving it considerable thought.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A job-related plan might need to be reworked to allow for changes. Lucky for you that Saturn remains a strong influence that can help you focus on getting it done right.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) This is a good time to move into areas of self-discovery. You might be surprised about who you really are and how you really relate to those around you.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Expect to confront someone who will make an unwelcome request. Stand by your resolve to do the right thing no matter what "persuasion" might be offered.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) A friendly competition could become more contentious than you expected. Take time out to discuss the reasons behind this unexpected change, and act accordingly.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) You have a wonderful mind for solving mysteries, so you should feel confident about solving the one developing very close to you. An unlikely source offers help.

BORN THIS WEEK: You're a great host or hostess. You love being with people, and you're very good about planning all sorts of social events that bring folks together.

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MAC's Fall Youth Theater – The Marion Art Center's youth theater program continues with Autumn Stages, starting on Thursday, **September 16**. The program is led by Jacob Sherburne. Autumn Stages is a fall theater company consisting of young adults ages 12-18. The company meets for three hours on Thursdays (5:30 pm – 8:00pm), and four hours on Saturdays (10:00 am – 2:00 pm) for seven weeks, culminating in a single end-of-session Halloween weekend performance of the Greek mythology story of Oedipus the King. Students must be fully vaccinated to participate in the program. Cost is \$525 for MAC members and \$575 for nonmembers. Monthly payment plans are available upon request. To learn more or to register, visit marionartcenter.org/stages.



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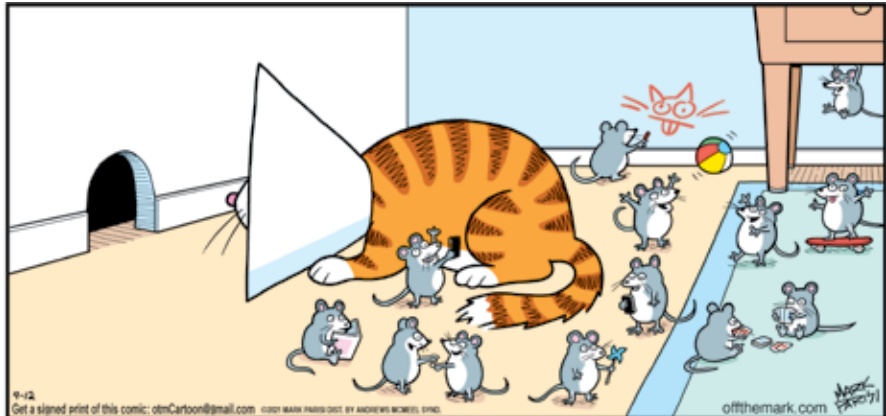
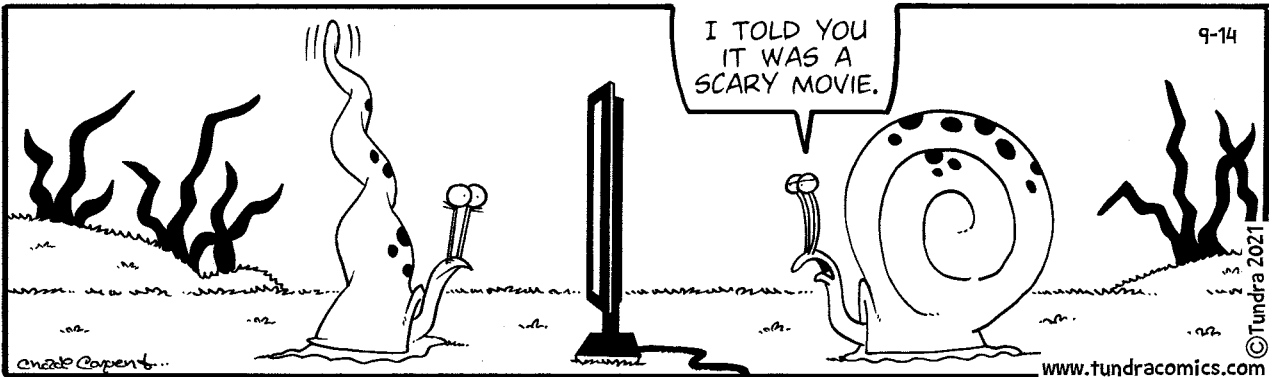


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WHERE'S THE
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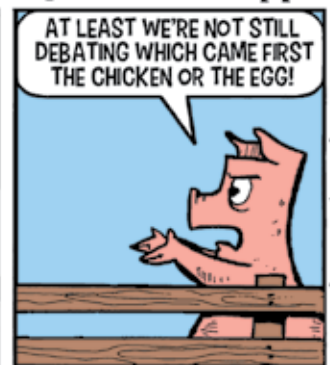


Tundra
by Chad Carpenter



Amber Waves

by Dave T. Phipps



Mattapoisett Harbormaster's Office

On Saturday, September 4, the vessel *Lady Hawk* sank in the vicinity of Nye's Ledge. The vessel was located early in the week of September 5 with the assistance of the Massachusetts Environmental Police in the area of the sinking.

The hazard to navigation was removed from the waterway late in the afternoon of September 10.

The Mattapoisett Harbormaster's Department thanks the efforts of the Mattapoisett Fire Rescue, Massachusetts Environmental Police, Mattapoisett Boatyard, and Tucker Roy Salvage.

Open Mic Night

The Mattapoisett Museum and Southcoast Lessons will be hosting its 4th Open Mic Night on **September 17** at 6:00 pm. All ages and all genres welcome. Sing a song, play a tune, do a dance, crack a joke, tell a story. The stage is yours – the musical community is all of ours to share! Additionally, the Friendly Fizz will be set up on the museum lawn with Italian sodas and cookies for sale.

Contact the Mattapoisett Museum at info@mattapoisettmuseum.org, or Southcoast Lessons at southcoastlessons@gmail.com with any questions. All information related to museum events can be found on their website www.mattapoisettmuseum.org/events or on the Mattapoisett Museum Facebook page.

All events are free, but donations are always appreciated. Thank you to the community for their continued generosity.

Annual Fall Rummage Sale

The Church of the Good Shepherd Annual Fall Rummage sale will take place on Saturday, **September 25**, 9:00 am – 1:00 pm, at 74 High Street, Wareham. Items for sale include clothing, coats, shoes, white elephant items, books, domestic items, puzzles, games, toys, and small furnishings. Money raised helps support the church and its many outreach programs to the community. Masks are required to enter the building.

Machacam Club Meeting

The next meeting of the Machacam Club is scheduled for Wednesday, **October 6**. We meet at the American Legion Hall on Depot Street. Social time begins at 5:00 pm, dinner at 6:00 pm, and a short business meeting at 6:45 followed by our speaker's presentation. Chef Colby has planned an all-time favorite dinner – a surprise that we know will satisfy your appetite! Callers, please transmit your counts for dinner to 508-758-1326 or email cwmccullough@comcast.net by Monday evening, **October 4**.

The purpose of the Machacam Club is for each member to enjoy the comradery of the group – nothing more, and nothing less! We meet on the first Wednesday of each month, and new members are always welcome.

From the Files of the Rochester Historical Society By Connie Eshbach

Of all the items found in the Historical Society, the many scrapbooks that have been donated give us a good look at everyday life in Rochester's past. For every scrapbook in the museum, there are at least twice as many in the homes of Rochester's residents. These are not the "scrapbooking" collections popular today; rather, they are clippings from newspapers that tell the stories of the many events in the community. They are selected because they refer to local people and local areas that reflect the interests and connections of the scrapbook's creator.

One example is the scrapbook of Walton "Sonny" Jenkins. It is a collection of newspaper articles about Rochester and Cuttyhunk happenings from 1939-1945. The Rochester Historical Society was allowed to copy it in 2012. Starting in 1939, the articles chronicle weddings, like that of Winifred Schofield to Herbert Hartley, the arrest of a Rochester man and his brother for a series of local burglaries, the medals awarded to three members of the Cuttyhunk Coast Guard Station, and deaths like that of Rochester's oldest citizen and last surviving Civil War veteran, George H. Randall.

Then, as the fighting in Europe intensified and the United States entered World War II, the type of clippings



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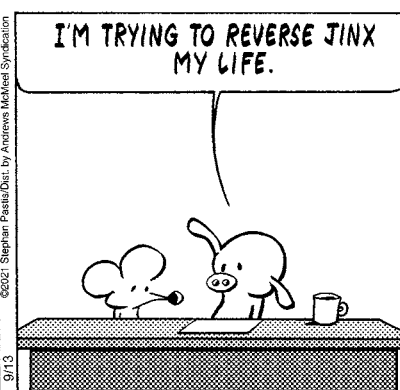
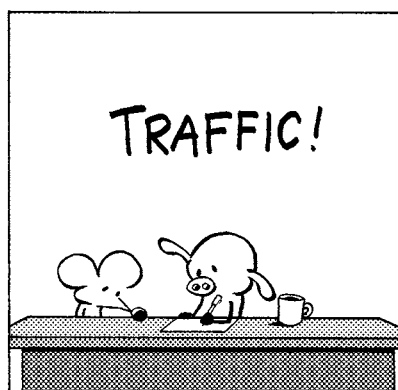
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James McGrail, Town Administrator/CPO 9/9, 9/16</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION WATER DEPARTMENT PUBLIC NOTICE</p> <p>The Marion Water Division will begin its Fall Hydrant Flushing Program on Monday, September 20, 2021. We expect this program take approximately eight weeks to complete. Residents in the immediate flushing area may experience discolored water and a drop in water pressure. Complete copies of our anticipated schedule are available at the Marion Department of Public Works Office located at 50 Benson Brook Road in Marion. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact our office at 508-748-3540. 9/16, 9/23</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 20, 2021 at 6:30 pm in the Town Hall (in person and remotely via Zoom **) on the Request for A Determination of Applicability submitted by Timothy Eilertsen, 28 Sagamore Road, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. The proposed project is to pour footings under existing piles supporting a porch and burying a 500-gallon L.P. gas tank. The project is located at 28 Sagamore Road and is further identified as Lot 15.A on Assessor Map 53. **Contact concomm@mattapoisett.net for the Zoom Meeting Information. 9/16</p>	<p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, September 27, 2021 at 6:30 pm in the Town Hall (in person and remotely via Zoom **) on the Notice of Intent submitted by the Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen for the Mattapoisett Neck Road sidewalk in Mattapoisett, MA. The Town proposes to construct approximately 2,346 LF of asphalt sidewalk on the westerly side of Mattapoisett Neck Road from Route 6 southerly to the Town of Mattapoisett Bike Path. **Contact concomm@mattapoisett.net for the Zoom Meeting Information. 9/16</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing at the Mattapoisett Town Hall meeting room on Monday, September 27, 2021 at 6:30 pm Hall (in person and remotely via Zoom **) regarding a Request for a Determination of Applicability submitted by William D. Clapp.</p> <p>The Applicant requests that the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission issue a Negative Determination (Box 2- "The work described in the Request is within an area subject to protection under the Act, but will not remove, fill, dredge, or alter that area. Therefore, said work does not require the filing of a Notice of Intent"). The proposal is to maintain the existing mowed grass areas for the parking of vehicles and recreational uses associated with the beach including but not limited to the placement of a seasonal tent, picnic table and/or campfire pit (no permanent structures). No work relative filling, grading or the cutting of any vegetation beyond what has been currently cut/maintained is proposed under this Application.</p> <p>The project is located off Mattapoisett Neck Road and is further identified as Lots #39 and #42 on Mattapoisett Assessors Map #15. **Contact concomm@mattapoisett.net for the Zoom Meeting Information. 9/16</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The public hearing will be held via Zoom* at 7:05 pm Meeting ID:</p>	<p>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81561475063?pwd=T-kQzVWIRZW40ZGt01MbEVCL29jd09 Meeting ID: 815 6147 5063 Passcode: 099901 Phone #: 1-646-558-8656</p> <p>On Monday, October 4, 2021 the Marion Planning Board will hold a public hearing on proposed changes to the Zoning Bylaw pursuant to the requirements of G.L. c.40A, s.5. To see if the Town will vote at the Special Town Meeting, pursuant to Article V, Section 230-5.3 of the Zoning Bylaws, Town of Marion, Massachusetts, to re-classify the following lots, located on Wareham Street, as Zoning District Residence E: Map 7 Lot 24 Map 7 Lot 25 Map 7 Lot 27 Map 7 Lot 28C Map 7 Lot 29;</p> <p>Said lots are further shown as lots 2 and 3 on a plan entitled "Approval Not Required Plan of Land known as Lots 24, 25, 26 & 27 on Assessor's Map 7 Situated on Bournhurst Rd & Wareham Street in the Town of Marion, County of Plymouth, MA Prepared for Henry & Judith DeJesus, Scale: 1" = 80' Date: Nov. 1, 2017", revised Nov. 2, 2017 and recorded on 6/28/2018 in the Plymouth County Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 62 Page 544; and lots 4A, 4B and 4C on a plan entitled "Division of Land Plan Lots 28, 29, & a Portion of Lots 24 & 27 on Assessors Map 7, Situated on Wareham Street in the Town of Marion, County of Plymouth, MA Prepared for Henry & Judith DeJesus, Scale: 1" = 80' Date: March 14, 2019", revised April 1, 2019" and recorded on 7/8/2019 in the Plymouth County Registry of Deeds in Plan Book 63 Page 687.</p> <p>Or take any other action thereon.</p> <p>The full text of these bylaws and proposed changes can be viewed at the Town Hall, 2 Spring Street in the Town Clerks Office and Planning Board office during regular business hours and online at: https://www.marionma.gov/planning-board</p> <p>* If you are a resident attending the public hearing, we request you to identify your name and address for the record. William W. Saltonstall, Chairman Eileen J. Marum, Vice Chairman 9/16, 9/23</p>



began to change. Unlike the wars of our more recent past, everyone was involved in the reality of the war. Rather than being fought by the members of the National Guard or fulltime Armed Services soldiers, sailors, and marines, this war was fought by both drafted and enlisted civilians from every town and city. Now the scrapbook chronicles the farewell parties for boys who were drafted or had enlisted, or girls, like Miss Mary Nute, who had been inducted into the SPARS and was headed to Florida for training.

While there continued to be clippings about new pastors for area churches, car accidents, and school graduations, more and more were war related. Pages are filled with pictures of soldiers, like the three Rochester brothers – David, Donald, and Walton Jenkins – who were serving in the Maritime Service and in Aviation. The wedding stories are of couples marrying during furloughs and before being sent overseas.

One article warns residents not to remove stamps from sugar rationing books, and another tells about the Rochester National War Fund Drive chaired by Mrs. Lorenz B. Rounseville. Others tell of Second Lieutenant Edward C. Humphrey who was missing in action, and First Class Private Sewell A. Peckham, who was cited for bravery after being wounded during the Japanese surprise air raid on the island of Oahu in Hawaii, and others who died or were in prisoner of war camps. All of these stories are mingled with everyday tales of sheep shearing, house fires, and the news of a new postmaster.

The new exhibit at the Rochester Historical Museum, opening on **October 2**, will include military memorabilia and tools among other items. We are looking for any items that people would be willing to loan to us for the exhibit. If you have an item, please call Connie Eshbach at 508-763 4932.

Celebrate Diversity Through Art at the Elizabeth Taber Library

The Elizabeth Taber Library is teaming with local organization Tri-Town Against Racism to celebrate diversity through art. Pick up a free art canvas at the ETL, create a work of art that represents you, your heritage, or your experiences growing up in the Tri-Town, and return it to the library to be displayed in our pop-up gallery throughout the fall. Find free art supplies to help you create, available at the library every Thursday evening.

Canvases will be available at the Elizabeth Taber Library throughout September and October. Return canvases to the ETL with a brief message and your contact information.

This program was made possible thanks to the American Library Association's Libraries Transforming Communities grant award.

For more information, visit us online at www.ElizabethTaberLibrary.org, or follow us on Facebook and Instagram. To speak to a librarian, call 508-748-1252.

Upcoming Programs at Plumb Library

Join with other local writers to share projects, practice writing, or to get advice. All meetings are via Zoom. Register by emailing info@plumblibrary.com or on the Event Calendar found on www.plumblibrary.com/whats-happening. Meetings for October are scheduled for Thursday, **October 7**, and Thursday, **October 21** at 6:30 pm. Pre-registration is required to receive the Zoom link. Please contact Plumb Library for more information.

The Friends of Plumb Library will be holding a Book Sale on Saturday, **October 9**, 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. They are looking for book donations, primarily mystery books, plus donations of games and puzzles. Leave donations at the library during business hours starting **October 1**. The Junior Friends will be holding a bake sale on the same day of the book sale.

Open Pickleball Round Robin Tournament

On Saturday, **September 18** (September 25 rain date), MATTREC is hosting their first Pickleball Tournament! Please check in and warm up from 8:30 -8:50 am; games commence at 9:00 am sharp. The tournament will be held at the Hammond Street Courts in Mattapoisett.

Cost is \$25 per player. Proceeds will benefit pickleball court maintenance and equipment. Register at www.mattrec.net. Limited to the first 24 registrants. Waitlisted players may play if a registered player is

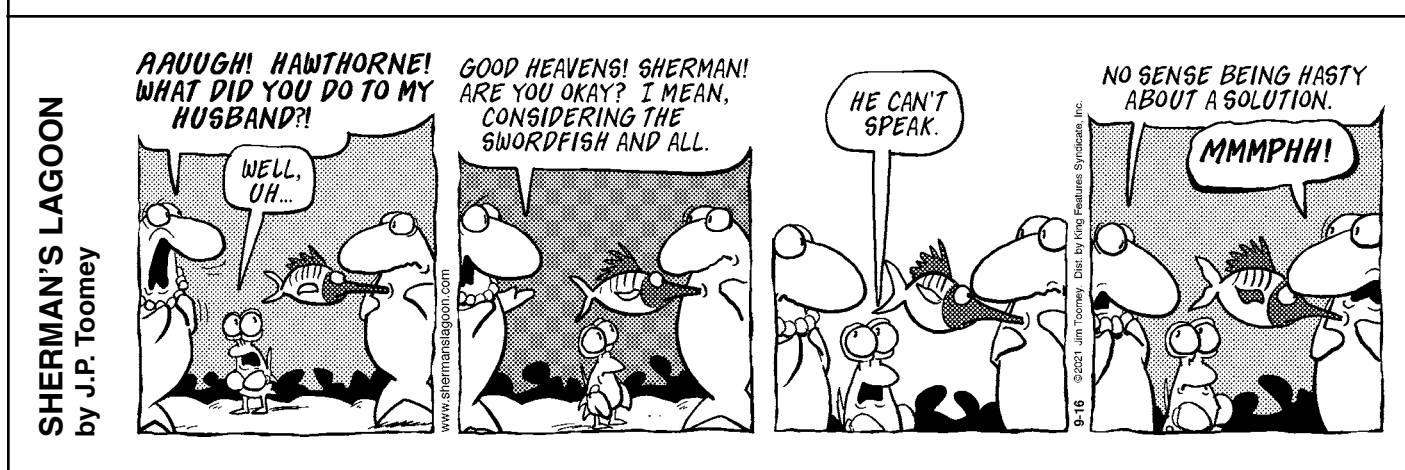
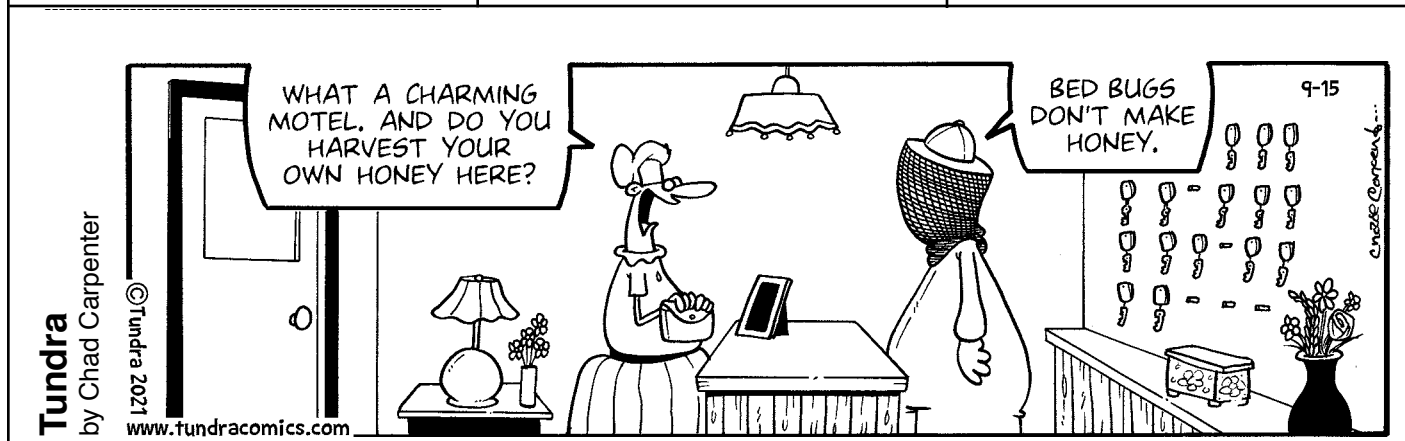


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If you want to play or have any questions about the event, you are asked to call or text John Guilherme at 508-858-8821, or Steve Heath at 508-971-1686. Please let us know you are coming!

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Oyster Fest Fundraiser on Saturday, **September 18**, from 2:00 pm – 6:00 pm at the Benjamin D. Cushing Center, 465 Mill Street, Marion, MA.

This year's event features local oysters from Bryant Brothers Shellfish, Sippican Oysters, and Snug Harbor Fish Company, wood-fired pizza from Wicked Fire Pizza, clam chowder from Sweet Pea Kitchen, craft beer, music from Retro Roots, and more. You can take your meal to-go, or eat in at the event under the tent; a cash bar will be available at the event offering a selection of fine wine, summer cocktails, beer, soft drinks, and water.

Tickets are now available for purchase for Sippican Lands Trust's Oyster Fest at www.sippicanlandstrust.org. Ticket prices are \$50 for adults and \$25 for children (12 and under). The \$50 Oyster Fest Seafood Special adult ticket includes six fresh oysters, one lobster roll, one cup of clam chowder, two homemade chocolate chip cookies, and two drink tickets. The \$50 Oyster Fest Pizza Special adult ticket includes one wood-fired 9" personal pizza, a salad, one cup of clam chowder, two homemade chocolate chip cookies, and two drink tickets. The \$25 Oyster Fest Kids Special includes one wood-fired 9" personal pizza, one homemade chocolate chip cookie, and one drink ticket. Pizza options include cheese, veggie, and meatlovers, and if you require a gluten-free crust or vegan pizza, please email SLT at info@sippicanlandstrust.org or specify your choice in your

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You can also participate in Sippican Lands Trust's online auction by visiting www.sippicanlandstrust.org and bid on some great auction items including baked goods, homemade crafts, and landscaping services. All proceeds support the work of the Sippican Lands Trust and this year's Oyster Fest will be held rain or shine.

For more information or to purchase tickets visit www.sippicanlandstrust.org or call the Sippican Lands Trust at 508-748-3080.

Hope to see you at Sippican Lands Trust's Oyster Fest on Saturday, September 18, at the Benjamin D. Cushing Community Center in Marion!

Marion Cultural Council Seeks Volunteers

Are you interested in supporting local cultural events in Marion? Have you considered serving on a board and helping to determine how to disperse funds for cultural events? The Marion Cultural Council is looking for up to five volunteers interested in serving as voting members who can help share ideas and knowledge when making determinations of how funding for the cultural council is dispensed.

Please contact Kristen Saint Don, chairperson of the Marion Cultural Council, with any questions about becoming a member. MarionCulturalCouncil@gmail.com.

Applications to serve are available at the Select Board office on the town website. Please submit a letter of



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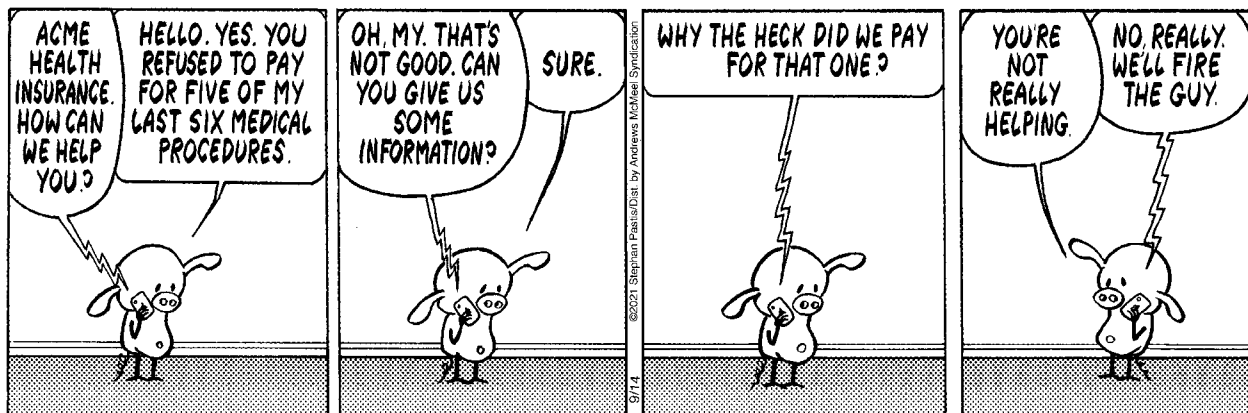
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Ten Warning Signs of Dementia/Alzheimer's will be held on Tuesday, **September 28**, at 1:00 pm at the Mattapoissett COA, 17 Barstow Street.

Dementia, which includes Alzheimer's and other forms, causes memory, thinking, and behavior problems that interfere with daily living. The Alzheimer's Association developed this education program to help people recognize the signs and know what to watch for in themselves and others.

The free one-hour program explores typical age-related changes, describes common signs of Alzheimer's and dementia, offers tips for how to approach someone about memory concerns, explains the importance of early detection and benefits of diagnosis, details possible tests and assessments for diagnostic process, and identifies helpful resources.

Register in advance. The session will be a hybrid of in-person and remote via Zoom. To attend in-person at the Mattapoissett COA, 17 Barstow Street, Mattapoissett, call 508-758-4110 or e-mail coadirector@mattapoissett.net. To attend via and Zoom, go to zoom.com and click "Join a Meeting" and type the Meeting ID: 864 8542 8863 and register. After registering via Zoom, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining

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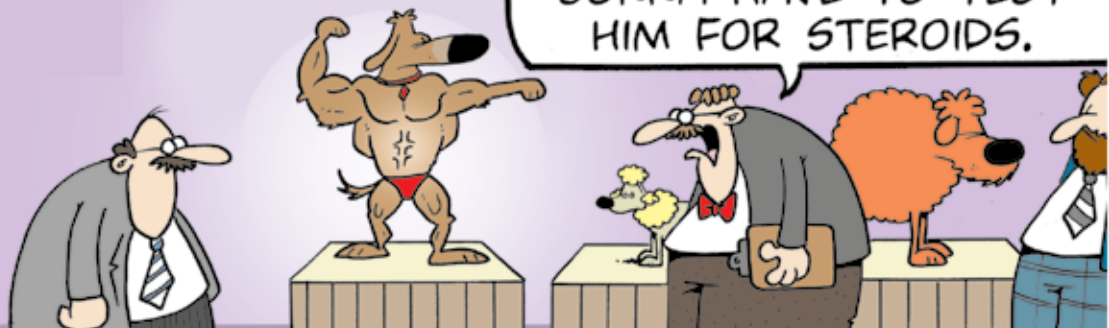
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Don't forget to wish these people a Happy Birthday!

Alexandria Alanna Bacchiocchi	September 16
Ariella Resendes	September 16
Charlie Higgins	September 16
David Wrightington	September 16
Deborah A. Camacho	September 16
Erin Eilertsen	September 16
Jeff Senna	September 16
Joe Borgatti Jr.	September 16
Beverlyn Bessette Silva	September 17
Camdyn Roy	September 17
Elizabeth Hall	September 17
Jack Higgins	September 17
Jake Sattelmair	September 17
Justin Langley	September 17
Tabitha Foulk	September 17
Beth Portas Robert	September 18
Gary J. Reid	September 18
Jonathan Roy	September 18
Nathaniel Pasquarello	September 18
Harold Oliver	September 19
Holyn Anne Turner	September 19
Muriel Alexander	September 19
Bob Lapointe	September 20
Daniel Fealy	September 20
Owen S. Harrington	September 20
Ralph Perry	September 20
Xavier Perez	September 20
Edward Lopes	September 21
Jessie Hodges	September 21
Joanella Deery	September 21
Lilah Mello	September 21
Mike Lake	September 21
Molly Lanagan	September 21
Olivia Mello	September 21
Olivia Wadsworth	September 21
Jaci Barnett	September 22
Jack Gonsalves	September 22
Jack Tallman	September 22
Rosemarie Holmes	September 22
Stephen Hughes	September 22
Virginia O'Brien	September 22
Zachary Medeiros	September 22



Dog Show



the meeting. (Note: This will not be recorded).

Spaghetti Supper at FCCR

First Congregational Church of Rochester is holding a Spaghetti Supper in the church's Fellowship Hall, 11 Constitution Way in Rochester, on Saturday, **September 18**, at 5:00 pm. Join us for fellowship and a delicious meal that includes salad, spaghetti and meatballs, rolls, and dessert. Tickets are \$10 per person and can be purchased by calling Mike Daniel at 508-763-3793 by Friday, **September 17**. We look forward to seeing you there.

Contemporary Sailors' Valentines Exhibit

The Mattapoisett Library, located at 7 Barstow Street, is presenting an exhibit from **September 15 – October 14** of Sailors' Valentines created by Marion artist Barbara Anderson. Anderson's interest in sailors' valentines stemmed from her love of flowers. She has researched and educated herself about this unique medium and is entirely self-taught. Her one-of-a-kind work has won first-place awards in local juried shows.

Sailors' valentines became popular with whalers who brought them home as gifts for loved ones. While there is a romantic myth that the sailors created them during downtimes on the whaling ships, it is most likely the majority were created by women on Barbados and purchased by the sailors on their way home. It can take Anderson up to a few months to create just one of these beautiful works, made with shells including vintage white-cup, squilla claws, chula shells, dove, rose cups, tusk, and apple blossoms.

Call for Entries: Along the Trails

The Marion Art Center, in collaboration with the Sippican Lands Trust, extends an invitation to area artists to submit works of art for our upcoming fall exhibition entitled, "Along the Trails," which will include works inspired by the natural landscape. This year, experiencing and celebrating the beauty of nature and outdoor spaces seems more compelling than ever. Exhibition entries must be inspired by, or depicting identified locations at, area land trust properties.

A triannual collaboration, the MAC and SLT have expanded "the canvas" this year beyond Marion to include land trust properties in Mattapoisett, Rochester, and Wareham. All mediums are eligible and both two- and three-dimensional works are encouraged. Artists may submit up to three pieces for exhibition and a minimum of one work from each artist will be chosen for display. The location(s) that inspired the work must be specifically identified, and artists should provide a brief description of the concept, if applicable. Artists are encouraged to submit an accompanying digital image of the location (taken with one's phone or mobile device is fine), if depicting the location in a medium other than

photography.

The show opens Thursday, **October 14**, and runs through Friday, **November 12**. An opening night viewing is scheduled on Thursday, **October 14**, from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm. Property maps can be found online at: sippicanlandstrust.org, mattlandtrust.org, rochesterlandtrust.org, and warehamlandtrust.org.

All works must have been executed by the artist within the last three years and must not have been previously shown at the Marion Art Center. The Marion Art Center will retain a 40-percent commission for any sold works. Drop-off dates for work are scheduled on Saturday, **October 9**, and Tuesday, **October 12**. Artists should contact the MAC with intent to exhibit and to schedule a drop-off appointment by calling 508-748-1266 or by emailing info@marionartcenter.org with "land trust show" in the subject line.

Massachusetts Lions Youth Speech Competition

The Mattapoisett Lions Club is looking for high school students in grades 9, 10, 11 and 12. Apply today to enter the Massachusetts Lions Youth Speech Competition and you may win a cash (check) prize! Students may be foreign exchange, private school, charter school, home schooled, or private study provided they are sponsored by a Massachusetts Lions or Leos club.

Find the Student Handbook, Student Release Form, and Student Profile by visiting lionsyouthspeech.org.

Deadline to apply is **October 6**. Applications may be submitted to foleylm@comcast.net or by mail to Mattapoisett Lions Club Youth Speech Contest, 11 Edwards Lane, Rochester, MA, 02770.

Mattapoisett Congregational Church Yard Sale

Saturday, **September 18**, from 9:00 am -3:00 pm, rain or shine, 27 Church Street, Mattapoisett. Lots of great items will be available including small antiques, collectibles, home furnishings, housewares, sports equipment, books, furniture, toys, and games, as well as handmade crafts including knitted sweaters and hats,

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A POWERFUL PRAYER TO THE HOLY SPIRIT

Holy Spirit, you who solve all problems, who light
all roads so I can obtain my goals, you who give
me the divine gifts to forgive and forget all evil
against me, in this short prayer, to thank you for all
things and confirm once again that I never want to
be separated from you, even in spite of all material
illusions. I wish to be with you in eternal glory,
thank you for your mercy towards me and mine.
The person must say this prayer for three consecu-
tive days. After three days, the favor requested will
be granted, even if it appears difficult. This prayer
must be published immediately after the favor is
granted without mentioning the favor. Only your
initials shall appear at the bottom. BML

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SHERMAN'S LAGOON
by J.P. Toomey



beautiful jewelry, and also baked goods! Cash and checks accepted. All proceeds will benefit the ministries of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church.

Mattapoisett Cultural Council

Mattapoisett Cultural Council invites grant proposals for community-oriented arts, humanities, and science programs beginning **September 1** until **October 15** at massculturalcouncil.org/communities/local-cultural-council-program/application-process/. Grants are available to support cultural projects and activities in and around Mattapoisett, including exhibits, festivals, field trips, short-term artist residencies or performances in schools, workshops, and lectures. These programs promote the availability of rich cultural experiences for Mattapoisett residents. Council members are municipally-appointed volunteers who help determine how to disburse available funds to individuals, schools, and cultural organizations who apply for project support.

Applicants are encouraged to review local funding priorities at <https://www.mass-culture.org/mattapoisett>. Applications are evaluated with respect to how well the program meets local priorities, community support and involvement, evidence of track record, ability to address diverse cultural needs, financial need, and demonstrated planning.

Recently funded projects included theatrical, literary, science programs for children and adults at Mattapoisett Free Public Library, concerts by SouthCoast Children's Chorus and Tri-County Symphonic Band, music education for Mattapoisett students by New

Bedford Symphony Orchestra, programs and exhibits at Mattapoisett Museum, and in-school and summertime arts and science programs sponsored by the Mattapoisett PTA, Mattapoisett Recreation, and Mattapoisett Land Trust, among others.

To contact Mattapoisett Cultural Council directly with questions, or if you are interested in becoming a council member, please email us at kcdamaskos@gmail.com.

Mobi-Chair at Silvershell Beach

In coordination with the Friends of Marion Recreation group, the Marion Department of Recreation is happy to announce the purchase of a Mobi-Chair. The Mobi-Chair is a high-quality, floating beach wheelchair that provides a seamless transition "from boardwalk-to beach-to water."

Wheelchair users, children, and adults with special needs can benefit from the convenience, portability, and comfort of the Mobi-Chair. As described by the manufacturer, "The Mobi-Chair provides a comfortable ride. The rubber pneumatic tires absorb the shock and discomfort caused when riding across rugged terrain, and it provides easy mobility through sand and other rough surfaces. Users can recline in a comfortable position while riding, sunning, bathing, or sitting for extended periods of time. Mobi-Chair's three positions are designed with everyone in mind."

If you are interested in signing this chair out, please contact the Department of Recreation at 508-748-3537 and we will be happy to assist you.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS			See past listing on our website: www.wanderer.com		
Buyer(s)	Seller(s)	Address	City	Date	Price
Clougherty, Stacy M Clougherty, Patrick J	Briggs, Steven T Briggs, Deborah J	76 Williams Way	Rochester	08/25/2021	750,000.00
Pateakos, James J Pedulli, Laura L	Susan, S Grosart RT2006 Grosart, Susan S TR	38 Crapo St	Marion	08/27/2021	532,000.00
Conway, Thomas A Vigeant, Deborah A	Smith, Brooks C Smith, Deidre P	8 Abby Ln	Mattapoisett	08/27/2021	629,000.00
Balthazar, Nicole V	Hicks, Christian B Pachamanova, Dessislava	11 Shoreview Ave	Mattapoisett	08/27/2021	1,495,000.00
Petty, Bradford Petty, Jennifer	Smith, Mark W Smith, Beth S	111 Williams Way	Rochester	08/27/2021	625,000.00
Lorenco, Peter TR Lorenco, Corey TR 50 Marion Road RT	Sidmore, Heather Stratton, Joan Marie Est	50 Marion Rd	Mattapoisett	08/27/2021	330,000.00
Harrington, David Harrington, Maria	Torwin Development	Shagbark Cir Lot 95a	Mattapoisett	08/27/2021	330,000.00
Ciano, Nicholas Ciano, Gail M	Demello, Edward Docarmo, Rosary M Demello, Rosary	11 Park Pl	Mattapoisett	08/27/2021	955,500.00
Bousquet, Anne E	Maxfield, Eric H	89 Converse Rd	Marion	08/30/2021	450,000.00
Ohlson, Stephen T	Guard, Joseph M Guard, Alison A	513 Delano Rd	Marion	08/30/2021	635,000.00
Ciaffoni, Timothy A	Jones, Eunice	2 Spinnaker Ln	Marion	08/30/2021	350,000.00



Local Tides

Day	Date	High		Low	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Thursday	September 9	10:17	10:36	3:38	4:07
Friday	September 10	11:06	11:28	4:16	4:53
Saturday	September 11	11:58		4:56	5:42
Sunday	September 12	12:23	12:54	5:40	6:41
Monday	September 13	1:21	1:54	6:32	8:21
Tuesday	September 14	2:22	2:56	7:38	10:16
Wednesday	September 15	3:25	4:03	9:06	11:21
Thursday	September 16	4:33	5:12	10:46	
Friday	September 17	5:39	6:14	12:12	12:02
Saturday	September 18	6:37	7:06	12:53	12:41
Sunday	September 19	7:27	7:52	1:27	1:24
Monday	September 20	8:12	8:35	1:54	2:04
Tuesday	September 21	8:55	9:16	2:20	2:43
Wednesday	September 22	9:36	9:56	2:50	3:22
Thursday	September 23	10:16	10:35	3:22	4:00
Friday	September 24	10:55	11:16	3:56	4:37
Saturday	September 25	11:34	11:58	4:31	5:15
Sunday	September 26		12:15	5:08	5:57

Phases	First Quarter	September 13th
of the	Full Moon	September 20th
Moon	Last Quarter	September 29th
	New Moon	October 6th



I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes!

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on *I Found the Aardvark*

In the September 9, 2021 edition the Aardvark was on page 64!

PUZZLE ANSWERS

CROSSWORD SOLUTION

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SCRAMBLERS

solution

- Optical
- Crease;
- Impair;
- Raise

Today's Word CALORIES

Sudoku Answer

9	4	3	7	2	8	1	5	6
2	5	1	4	6	3	7	9	8
8	6	7	9	1	5	4	3	2
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3	9	5	1	8	4	6	2	7
7	8	4	3	9	2	5	6	1
5	1	2	8	4	6	9	7	3
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off the mark by Mark Parisi



Grocery, Dairy, Frozen & Bakery

B&M
16 oz. Selected
Baked
Beans
2/\$3



1 Liter Selected
Poland Spring
Sparkling Water **99¢**
3 Liter
Ocean Spray
Cranberry Juice **\$4.99**
12 oz. Corn Flakes or
Kellogg's
Rice Krispies **\$2.99**
4.6-6.6 oz. Selected
Old El Paso
Taco Shells **2/\$4**
14.5-15.25 oz. Selected
Green Giant Vegetables **2/\$3**

5 oz. Solid White in Water
Starkist Tuna **2/\$4**
5.5 oz. Selected
Food Should Taste Good
Tortilla Chips **2/\$5**
59 oz. Selected (Excludes Organics)
Newman's Own
Drinks **2/\$5**
Fresh Baked
27 oz. Pkg.
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Cinnamon
Rolls **\$2.49** pkg.

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Talenti
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Gelato or
Sorbetto
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Equinox Red
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Asparagus **\$3⁹⁹**
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Organic
Royal Gala Apples..... **\$1⁹⁹**
lb.

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